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YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 68 deg.; minimum, 43 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 4 miles. At midnight the temperature was 56 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 8 a.m. the temperature was 54 deg.; partly cloudy.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; light northerly winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy; possibly light showers by night; fresh southeast winds.

(The complete Weather Report, including Comparative Temperatures, will be found on page 8.)

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NO TRACE OF GOLD INGOT.

DETROIT, March 20.—Nothing has developed today to help solve the mysterious disappearance Wednesday night from the Union Depot office of the Pacific and Dominion Express Company of the ingot of gold valued at $23,500. No arrests have been made, and so far as can be learned the police have no clue to the whereabouts of the precious bar.

FRANK J. ULRICH STABBED.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Frank J. Ulrich, representative in the State Legislature for the Sixth District of Brooklyn, was probably fatally stabbed today by William Gettys, a clerk. The men got into an altercation over an alleged insult offered by Gettys to two young women, which Ulrich resented. Ulrich is a prominent Democratic politician of Brooklyn.

WASHINGTON.

NEXT STEP ON CANAL.

Choosing of a New Commission.

The President of the United States Will Help Administer the Waterway's Affairs.

Towns on the Isthmus to Be Cleaned and Put in Good Sanitary Condition.

Sulu's Sultan Coming to St. Louis. Reply to Argentine—California Senators.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] All eyes soon will be turned toward Colombia, watching developments in that country in connection with the ratification of the Panama Canal treaty. The United States government will be ready with the cash, plans and all that is needful to commence work on the canal when diplomatic negotiations are concluded, and the title deeds are passed. Assuming that Colombia will ratify the treaty; that the French canal company will pass title to the real property involved, and that the way will be made clear for actual operations, it may be of interest to look ahead to the next steps to be taken. As soon as it is certain that the treaty is to be ratified by Colombia, the President will appoint the canal commissioners authorized by the Spooner act. That commission will supersede the present canal commission, but will probably include some members who have familiarized themselves with conditions on the isthmus, and in connection with the canal work.

The commission will consist of seven members, who will be paid salaries commensurate with the importance of their work. All work will be done under the direction of the canal commission, and the President of the United States. The commission undoubtedly will be permanent, and as long as the canal continues it will be administered by a commission. There will be no delay in commencing the actual work. The canal, in fact, has been commenced, and a portion of the work has materially progressed. Machinery to the value of several million dollars already has been installed, and it simply will be a question of putting new men in control. The very first thing Uncle Sam will do in the way of actual work will be to "clean up the isthmus," as one official expressed it today. That will be an important task, to improve the sanitary conditions and make the place fit for northern men to live in and work in. The towns at either end of the route will be thoroughly cleaned, sewered and provided with water works. Everything inhabited by human beings will be disinfected and whitewashed. Hospitals will be restocked and renovated. Yankee doctors and Yankee methods will be installed and the deadly climatic effects reduced to a minimum.

SENATOR HANNA'S HOPE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "So far as I know, this government has no information as to how soon the Congress of the Colombian government will act upon the canal treaty," said Senator Hanna today to The Times' correspondent. Senator Hanna has taken a conspicuous part in the fight for ratification, and is as well informed as any public man as to the conditions. "The Congress will be elected next month and will meet at once. I do not know whether it will take the Legislature of the South American republic as long to act as it did for us to finish, but I hope not.

"I have confidence, of course, that the treaty will be ratified. It would be very fine news to hear that final and favorable action was taken early this year. The President could then appoint the American commission and actual work of construction could begin this year. I think that we will see the beginning of work this year, although this is mainly hope, for all depends upon Congressional action at Bogota."

CALIFORNIA SENATORS.

PERKINS GOING TO EUROPE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Perkins will leave Washington for California tomorrow night. He will spend most of his summer in California, but may take a brief European trip, starting from San Francisco in July.

Senator Bard will not leave for home until next Tuesday. He will remain some time in California, and will then come East and with his family make a European trip, partly for his health, but more especially for pleasure. Senator Bard's health appears to have improved considerably during the last few weeks, and it seems now to be in almost perfect condition.

REPLY TO ARGENTINE.

UNITED STATES' ATTITUDE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The text of the response of Secretary Hay to the Argentine note proposing combined action of American states to resist the collection of debts by naval force was made public today. It is as follows:

"Memorandum: Without expressing assent or dissent from the propositions set forth in the note of the Argentine Minister of Foreign Relations, dated December 29, 1902, the position of the United States is indicated in recent messages of the President.

"The President declared in his message to Congress December 2, 1902, that by the Monroe doctrine 'we do not guarantee any State against punishment if it misconducts itself, provided that punishment does not take the form of acquisition of territory by any non-American power.' In harmony with the foregoing language the President announced in his message of December 2, 1902:

"'No independent nation in America need have the slightest fear of aggression from the United States. It behooves each one to maintain order within its own borders, and to discharge its just obligation to foreigners. When this is done, it can rest assured that, be they strong or weak, they have nothing to dread from outside interference.'

"Advocating and adhering in practice, in questions concerning itself, to the resort to international arbitration in settlement of controversies not adjustable by the ordinary course of diplomatic negotiations, the government of the United States will always be glad to correct questions of justice by one State against another, as well as guarantees for the execution of whatever award might be made, left to the decision of an impartial arbitration tribunal, before which the litigating nations, weak or strong alike, may stand as equals in the eye of international law and mutual duty."

ATTRACTIONS FOR ST. LOUIS.

SULU'S SULTAN COMING OVER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Sultan of Sulu may be one of the attractions at the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in St. Louis. The exposition board appointed by the Philippine government, has been actively canvassing the entire archipelago for material to form the Philippine exhibit at the exposition, and has met with excellent results. J. S. Gilles, who was sent to Zamboanga and Sulu Archipelago, has reported to the authorities at Manila that he has been successful in inducing the Dattos in Zamboanga to take the lead in collecting materials for the exhibit, and says that the Sultan of Sulu has promised to visit the United States and bring with him his collection of pearls, which is one of the finest in the world.

The commissioners in Manila have already got together a fine collection of minerals, geological specimens and ethnographic objects. Capt. Ahern of the Forestry Bureau of the Philippines has charge of the forestry exhibit, and will spend about $10,000 in collecting specimens of numerous kinds of wood growing in the islands. Arrangements have also been made with Dr. Lamson-Scribner, chief of the Agricultural Bureau, for a big agricultural exhibit.

MEXICO TO END QUARANTINE.

SURGEON-GENERAL'S LETTER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Perkins today received the following letter from Surgeon-General Wyman of the Marine Hospital Service:

"I have this morning received a dispatch from our officer at the City of Mexico, dated March 18, in which he says Dr. Liceaga, president superior of the Board of Health of Mexico, has recommended raising the quarantine against San Francisco. Favorable action will be taken shortly."

RECLAMATION IN SOUTHWEST.

ENGINEER FITCH'S INSPECTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Charles H. Fitch, engineer in the hydrographic branch of the Geological Survey, is traveling in the Southwest to investigate the possibilities of that region in connection with the work of the government reclamation service. During his trip, which will occupy about six weeks, Fitch will pass through New Mexico, Arizona and Southern California, and will inspect the work now being carried on by field parties on the Pecos, Rio Grande and Colorado Rivers.

Cruiser Goes to Hayti.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Navy Department was advised by Acting Secretary of State Loomis today that reports from the Dominican Republic and Hayti indicate that American interests there may be in need of protection. The Navy Department has ordered the cruiser Atlanta to proceed thence from Pensacola.

ARMY PROMOTIONS.

NOT MATTER FOR COURT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The District Supreme Court today decided adversely to First Lieut. Frank B. Edwards and Second Lieut. Henry M. Daugherty, both of the Artillery Corps, who petitioned for a writ of mandamus to compel the Secretary of War and the adjutant-general of the army to restore them to the numbers they formerly held in the list of their respective grades. The decision of the court affects many other officers. Both men are West Pointers.

It was contended that in rearranging the list of officers, many new officers appointed from civil life and otherwise, months after the petitioners had received their commissions, were given credit for their former service in the volunteer branch, and therefore now hold lineal rank much higher than the petitioners.

The court held that it had no jurisdiction to interfere with the discretion and judgment vested in the Secretary of War. The petitioners appealed.

CABINET MEETING.

CONGRESS'S WORK PLEASES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—At today's Cabinet meeting, the President and members of the Cabinet expressed satisfaction with the results accomplished by Congress at the regular session, and by the Senate at the

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COLLIDED IN FOG.

Steamer Plymouth Badly Injured.

Freight Steamer City of Taunton, Also of Fall River Line, Wrecks Her Side.

Six Persons Killed and a Number of Others Injured on the Big Passenger Steamer.

Detachment of Marines Has a Peculiar Experience—Stories of Italian Immigrants.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW LONDON (Ct.) March 20.—Traveling at a moderate rate of speed through Long Island Sound, early this morning, the big passenger steamer Plymouth of the Fall River line, bound for Fall River from New York, and the freight steamer City of Taunton of the same line, came into collision in the fog just east of Plum Island, the bow of the freight steamer wrecking the starboard side of the Plymouth and causing the death of six persons on board the Plymouth and the injury of a number of others.

The dead are:

JOHN F. M'CARTHY, watchman, Fall River.

GEORGE H. MARSTON, Paterson, N. J.; passenger.

JOHN COLEMAN, negro, Fall River.

JULIUS DAWSON, negro, messman.

JOHN H. WILLIAMS, negro.

JOHN BRISCOE, negro, pantryman.

A complete list of injured is impossible to obtain.

Three of the injured are at the hospital here. They are:

C. J. CROGER, a traveling salesman of Philadelphia, suffering with a sprained back.

DAVID SAMUELSON, a negro of New Bedford, leg wrenched.

PATRICK DALY, a fireman, trimmer, whose right arm was crushed from the body.

Michael Kilduff of Boston and J. M. Thomson of Allegheny, Pa., are the other persons whose names are known by the officials.

The responsibility for the accident has not been determined, and will be the subject of an investigation. It is said by the officials of the two vessels that both were going at a fair speed, considering the fog, and that there was no time after the warning whistles, which followed the lookout's discovery of the danger, to avert a collision.

Officials of the company tonight said that, as far as they knew, all the steerage passengers had been accounted for, although they admitted that it was possible that one or two might have been swept overboard. The number of passengers was larger than usual at this season, about 550, and that more people did not lose their lives is considered miraculous.

A detachment of United States marines, under the command of Capt. Low, who were passengers on the Plymouth, had a peculiar experience. Awakened from a sound sleep, the soldiers rushed from the lower cabin, where they were quartered, without their clothing or shoes. They were largely instrumental in averting a panic among the other passengers, and while engaged in this laudable work their clothing and effects were lost. The soldiers made out coverings of blankets, and even cut the blankets into strips and wound them around their feet to replace their shoes. In this condition, the marines boarded a special train for Boston.

DAMAGE TO PLYMOUTH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW LONDON, March 20.—A full hundred feet of the starboard side of the Plymouth was smashed in as if it had been paper, the staterooms of the second cabin were entirely cut away, while down in the hold most of the crew who were asleep in the steerage were drowned by the torrent that poured through the great gap made by the bow of the freighter. Although greatly terrified, the people aboard the big steamer showed great control, and there was no panic. The collision occurred after the vessel had slowly made her way over the sound through the fog until she reached a point east of Gull Island.

The City of Taunton drove up out of the fog, and when she was sighted by the Plymouth, it was too late to avoid the collision. There was a quick exchange of signals, and then the crash. The bow of the City of Taunton penetrated ten feet into the hull of the Plymouth, and as she backed away she raked the upper works of the passenger vessel, tearing out the second cabin and ripping the staterooms to pieces.

Water poured into the hold, and drowned the men in their bunks.

The Plymouth was immediately headed for this city. It was thought at one time that the ship's company would have to take to the boats, but the closing of the collision bulkheads prevented the water from gaining, and the vessel made the harbor and wharf unassisted.

There was no way of telling immediately how many perished. Six are dead certainly, and in the mass of débris from the wrecked cabin and staterooms there may be several more bodies, while in the steerage it is thought there are bodies of others drowned, besides those reported. As the Plymouth was being made fast to the wharf, there was seen to be a hole ten feet square in her hull on the starboard side, about thirty-five feet from her bow, while for a hundred feet her joiner work had been carried away, including the entire second cabin, and seven staterooms on the saloon deck.

Capt. T. H. Low of the United States Marine Corps, with Lieut. William C. Harlee and seventy-five marines, occupied the second cabin on the side where the crash was felt. It is thought all the marines lost their knapsacks, containing their extra clothing. None of the marines were killed or injured. The City of Taunton made this port at 5:45 o'clock this morning, with her bow stove in and her pumps working. Her bulkhead saved her from sinking.

Capt. Davis of the Plymouth said he was in the pilot house, and was particularly alert, owing to the dense fog.

"As the vessels neared each other," he said, "I quickly rang for full speed astern, and I heard the bell of the City of Taunton give the same signal. The City of Taunton was heard to sound the distress signal, as she backed off, but we could not see the other vessel, because the fog was so dense. Our forward bulkhead saved us, but I thought the only and safest course was to make for the nearest port."

The appearance of both vessels shows with what immense force they came together. The torn and twisted pieces of iron and entire bow torn out is the sight presented by the City of Taunton, while on the Plymouth the state of chaotic confusion, gave evidence that the vessels had not responded to their machinery much before they came together.

Many stories of narrow escapes from death or serious injury were told by passengers on the Plymouth.

PASQUALE MITELO'S STORY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BOSTON, March 20.—The special train from New London, bearing the majority of the Plymouth's passengers, arrived here this afternoon. Among the passengers were several Italian immigrants. One of them, Pasquale Mitelo, says that he is sure a number of immigrants in the steerage were killed in the collision, while others jumped overboard. He said: "I saw five dead, and I am satisfied that I saw at least ten more jump overboard."

Another Italian says he saw seven of his countrymen leap into the sea after the collision.

COL. KELLER'S LETTERS.

They Were from Theodore Roosevelt and Saved the Aged Veteran from Penalty for Becoming Impatient.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Before Magistrate Deuel in the Harlem Police Court, today, Samuel Joseph Keller, 70 years old, presented two letters from the President, which were written when the President was Assistant Secretary of the Navy. Keller told the magistrate that he celebrated his seventieth birthday yesterday, and that the friends who helped him celebrate the event left him when he became intoxicated. He said that he was a veteran of the Civil War; was colonel of the One Hundred and Third New York Volunteers, and said he fought at Gettysburg. After telling this much about himself, he presented letters which he had received from the President. The first was in response to a letter from Col. Keller when the war with Spain was imminent, in which letter the colonel asked advice of Assistant Secretary Roosevelt concerning the necessity of raising a regiment of volunteers. It is as follows:

NAVY DEPARTMENT.
March 26, 1898.

Col. Joseph Keller, room 1, City Hall.

My Dear Sir: I am very much obliged for your letter. I think you know that my sentiments are precisely the same as yours. I am not at liberty to talk at present. I wish I were, but, at any rate, I am getting everything ready so that we can act. Very sincerely,

[Signed] THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

The second letter was received after war had been declared, and was in response to a letter from Col. Keller saing that he wished to serve under Mr. Roosevelt, who, he was sure, would be appointed a general. The reply reads as follows:

My Dear Col. Keller: No; I am not to be a general. I am to be lieutenant-colonel in a regiment of mounted riflemen raised in the Rocky Mountain States, and we won't be able to put any easterners in it. I wish very much we could.

Faithfully yours,

[Signed] THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

After reading these letters, Magistrate Deuel discharged Col. Keller.

LOOTED BANK.

Charge Made by United States Examiner Against George W. White of Defunct Hyndman Institution.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—George V. White, vice-president of the South Pennsylvania Bank of Hyndman, Bedford county, was arrested here today, charged with looting the bank of $20,000. He was taken before the United States Commissioner, and was held in $3000 bail for a hearing.

The arrest was made by Deputy United States Marshal Meyers on a warrant sworn out by Special Bank Examiner W. A. Mason, who says he acted under instructions from Atty.-Gen. Knox. Mason testified that he had been appointed receiver of the defunct bank last December, and found irregularities amounting to $20,000. He charged White with conspiracy to defraud the institution, and asked that the accused be held. White referred to the charge against him as a matter of little importance.

NEWS TO PALMA.

HAVANA, March 20.—Beyond the receipt of a brief, confirmatory dispatch, President Palma has learned nothing of the marriage of his son, José, to Miss Mabel Jacobs, in New York, on January 11 last, except through the newspapers. The President said today: "I am undecided as to what course to pursue concerning the youth, who is only 20 years old, and has two years more to remain at Columbia."

Los Angeles Daily Times.

RAILROAD RECORD.

MINNESOTA'S CASE CLOSED.

Anti-trust Act Attacked Afresh Yesterday.

Ex-Attorney-General Griggs Denies Conspiracy.

Union Pacific's Espee Stock Turned Over to Short Line. Canada's Fast Mail.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—Arguments in defense of the Northern Securities Company, on trial here before the United States Circuit Court in behalf of the State of Minnesota, closed today, and the case will be finally placed in the hands of the four judges tomorrow. During the three days of argument the attorneys for the defendants have occupied nine hours, and up to adjournment tonight the government has taken five hours for presentation of arguments.

THE ARGUMENTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—Counsel for the defense continued argument this morning in the Northern Securities merger case, the forenoon session of court being opened by Attorney C. W. Bunn, counsel for the Northern Pacific Railway Company. Attorney Bunn endeavored to demonstrate that the anti-trust act does not hold; that it is unlawful for one railway to control a competing line. An abstract of his argument follows:

"In this suit the United States seeks to enjoin the Northern Securities Company from owning and voting the stocks of two railway companies engaged partly in interstate commerce. It is asserted that the owning by one corporation of a majority of the stock of these railway companies is prohibited by an act passed by Congress July 2, 1890. The act does not say that it is unlawful for one railway to buy, lease, own or control a competing railway, nor is one person, or corporation, forbidden in terms to own stock in two competing railways. If any of these things are prohibited, it is only because they necessarily restrain commerce among the several States. A broad generality and indefiniteness of the language of the law call for great care in its interpretation and application to particular cases.

"For its validity, the act rests alone on article 1, section 8, of the Constitution of the United States, which gives power to Congress 'to regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the States and with the Indian tribes.' Being passed in execution of this power, the statute cannot be interpreted more broadly than the grant of power itself.

"All the ordinary legislative power of government, the general right to legislate concerning contracts and property rights, and for the welfare, good order and morals of the people, is reserved by the Constitution to the States. Congress must exercise its power to regulate commerce with reference to the powers of the States. It can no more infringe on their reserved powers than they on its granted power.

"That Congress has not the constitutional power, under the guise of regulating congress, to prescribe the general rules by or under which real estate or personal property, stocks or bonds, may be bought, owned, sold, passed by descent, or willed within States, must be admitted. Much less can Congress say that a man may not buy a piece of property within a State because he may intend to use the same in a manufacture or business carried on with the intent to monopolize or restrict interstate commerce. No more can Congress restrict the right of partnerships or corporations organized by virtue of State laws to buy within the States either real or personal property, including stocks and bonds.

Again, if a contract, arrangement or combination does restrain interstate trade, it is immaterial whether it has the sanction of State law or not. A State law must yield to the power vested in Congress. In the case at bar, or in any similar case, the transaction must be treated as if fully authorized by State law. For a holding company to own the stock of competing interstate carriers is plainly no more prohibited by the act than for one interstate carrier to purchase or otherwise control the property of a parallel or competing carrier.

"All these conclusions are greatly strengthened by the fact that anything which falls within the prohibition of the act is made a crime; everything denounced as illegal is made criminal. It is little short of absurd to suppose that Congress intended to make it a crime for a man to buy stock in two competing interstate railway companies; or, having stock in one, to go into partnership with one who has stock in another; or to promote the formation of a corporation to acquire stock in both; or as director or officer of a corporation already formed, to engage in acquiring such stock; or to promote the consolidation of two competing interstate carriers, or the lease or purchase by one of another. It is certainly not too much to require that if Congress had intended to make these things crimes, it should have said so."

EX-ATTY.-GEN. GRIGGS.

Attorney Bunn concluded at 11:20 o'clock, and was followed by former Atty.-Gen. Griggs, who summed and concluded arguments for the defendants. He contended that the acts of the defendant do not constitute a contract, combination or conspiracy in restraint of inter-State trae or commerce within the meaning of the Sherman act. In support of this contention, he made the following points:

"(1.) The creation of railway corporations; the form of their corporate organization; the character and qualities of their corporate stock, the routes which the railroads shall take, whether they may connect with other roads running in the same general direction, whether they may or may not consolidate with parallel lines or operate parallel lines through different portions of a State. All of these matters are and always have been subject to State jurisdiction.

"(2.) The acts of the defendants being prima facie lawful, the burden of proof is upon the government to show that they were as the Attorney-General charges, not bona fide, but a mere formal device intended to defeat the provisions of the Sherman act.

"(3.) Any restraint of trade or commerce which may result from the acts done by the defendants is indirect and incidental only, and not covered by the act of July 2, 1890.

"(4.) If the Sherman act can be so construed as to forbid the sale of stock in two competing railroad corporations to one purchaser, then that act is an attempted interference on the part of Congress with transactions which are wholly within the control of the States of the Union, and in that respect the act is unconstitutional.

"(5.) But assuming that Congress may, under the commerce clause of the Constitution and as a regulation of commerce, restrain the States in the exercise of their prerogatives from permitting two or more corporations to which the States have given life from merging, yet such a purpose on the part of the government ought to be clearly and distinctly expressed, and not be found in the judicial interpretation of doubtful language contained in a penal statute.

"Sixth—Acquiescence by the government for more than eleven years in the actual merger and consolidation of many important parallel and competing lines of railroads, and steamships engaged in interstate and international commerce, has given a practical construction to the act of July 2, 1890, to the effect that it was not intended to forbid, and does not forbid, the natural processes of unification which are brought about under modern methods of lease, consolidation, merger, community of interest, or ownership of stock."

In discussing the facts, Mr. Griggs alleged that the Attorney-General had filed his complaint under the misapprehension that the Northern Securities Company was formed solely for the purpose of merging the two corporations—an allegation that was not supported by a single proof, and positively disproved by all the testimony in the case.

At the time the Securities company was formed, there was no certainty that a majority of the stock of either of the railroad companies would be acquired by it, and it would have been formed and have continued, if no other persons than the original projectors of the company had come in and exchanged their stock. Such is the testimony of all the persons participating in the organization. The original conception, the primordial germ, out of which the Northern Securities grew, is to be found much further back than the transactions of 1901. The dramatic incidents of that year merely hastened the development and maturity of the conception.

"Briefly stated," said Mr. Griggs, "the circumstances are these: The defendants, Messrs. Hill, Kennedy, James and Samuel Thorne and others, not exceeding ten in number, formed a group of active and influential persons, who had developed and maintained the Great Northern enterprise from its origin, and who, not holding a majority of its stock, yet had the concurrence, support and good will of the other stockholders, and were, because of their successful management and their influence, continued from year to year in control.

"As early as 1893 these gentlemen took up for consideration the subject of continuing their policy in the management of the company by some arrangement, which would prevent their stock from being scattered in case of death. This was the original conception, out of which the Northern Securities Company developed.

"At the time of the reorganization of the Northern Pacific, in 1896, these same gentlemen, independently of each other, acquired about $30,000,000 of stock in the new Northern Pacific Company, which substantially they held down to the formation of the Northern Securities Company. Here we find that as early as 1896, a duality of interest had arisen, whereby these gentlemen became concerned in the welfare of both companies.

"In April, 1901, the Northern Pacific and the Great Northern made the joint purchase of the stock of the Burlington, and in payment for it issued their joint bonds. This indicated a very close relationship, and a perfect confidence by each company in the cooperation of the other in the broad policy which the purchase of the Burlington was intended to make possible and to carry out. That policy was to fit the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific to enter into competition for transcontinental traffic as rivals of the other transcontinental lines. It was an arrangement in favor, and not in suppression of competition."

"When the Northern Securities Company had acquired a majority of the stock of the two railroad companies, it did not any more certainly nor firmly control the policy of the two railroads than did Mr. Hill and his associates under the former conditions. It is perfectly credible that no idea of any pooling or merger in the sense charged in the bill of complaint ever entered the head of any of them. Whatever influence they desired in both companies they already possessed.

"Neither of the railroad companies, as such, participated in any way in the formation of the Securities Company, and neither of the railroad companies had any more relation to the matter than has a corporation to the daily purchases and sales of its outstanding stock in the public market.

"In answer to the allegations of the government in its bill of complaint that this is a practical pooling of the stocks of the two companies, we answer that the word 'pooling,' as used by the complainant, is not intended to have an offensive meaning, and an application which cannot be derived from the lawful acts which the defendants have done. The stocks are not pooled under any trust arrangement or agreement whatever, and that term is no more applicable to the arrangement than it would be if one natural person had purchased in his own right. Of course, it is a natural consequence of the ownership of the stock that the dividends declared and paid thereon go to the owner, and this is no more true with reference to the Northern Securities Company as owner than it would be as to any other holder.

"We ask the court to keep in sight the fact that the cooperation of these two railway companies, both before and after the formation of the Securities company, was intended not for the purpose of monopolizing trade and commerce, but for the purpose of strengthening, augmenting and extending the trade and business of the two companies in both transcontinental and world-wide competition with other public carriers. The result is not pernicious, but beneficial, and should be marked with approval, rather than by legislative and governmental obstruction."

At 3:07 p.m. former Atty.-Gen. Griggs closed the argument for the defendants, and Special Counsel T. M. Watson of Pittsburgh immediately commenced the final arguments for the government. He will probably finish this afternoon, and the case will then be in the hands of the court for decision.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With the coming of the cold wave, furs and heavy overcoats again made their appearance in Chicago today. The mercury dropped 28 deg., from last midnight to 9 o'clock this evening, the low point being 29 and the maximum 57. The expected snowstorm did not materialize, but rain in the early morning came in its place. Should a frost fall tonight, it is likely to play havoc with the buds forced out by the two days of heat. Fair weather is reported in the western and central portions, and heavy rain in the Upper Ohio Valley. Temperatures at 7 a.m.: New York, 53; Boston, 58; Philadelphia, 52; Washington, 54; Chicago, 50; Cincinnati, 62; St. Louis, 40.

CZAR SPOILS WOOING.

Spencer Eddy, diplomat and nephew of Mrs. Arthur Caton, is on his way to Chicago from his post at Constantinopole, and in advance of him comes a story that the Czar has interfered in Eddy's wooing of a Grand Duchess of Russia, refusing to allow an alliance with an untitled foreigner.

ELECTRIC ROAD'S CAPITAL.

The Chicago and Milwaukee Electric Railroad Company has increased its capital to $5,000,000 from $300,000, and promises more frequent trains and to cut the time to one hour between Evanston and Waukegan. The early completion of the system to Milwaukee will be one of the results of the increase. Only $2,000,000 of the new stock is being issued at present.

MRS. LILL DIVORCED.

Mrs. Jesse Rouse Lill was granted a divorce today from George H. Lill, secretary of the Lill Coal Company. Mrs. Lill is given custody of their child and $100 a month alimony.

MARRIED AT KENOSHA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KENOSHA (Wis.) March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Because they wanted to keep their marriage a secret, Charles M. Saulson and Miss Frances Ida Carr came all the way from New York City to Kenosha, and were married here today. The groom is the New York manager of a life insurance company.

BISHOP M'LAREN BETTER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SYCAMORE (Ill.) March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Bishop McLaren is slightly recovered from the attack of angina pectoris which caused considerable alarm among his friends earlier in the week, but is not considered to be out of danger. Mrs. McLaren, who is ill with nervous prostration, is also improved.

BACK TO HER HUSBAND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MARION (Ind.) March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Seven years ago Mrs. John Waldron, wife of a hotel man, eloped with a guest, taking her six-year-old daughter with her. Waldron was granted a divorce and custody of the child. Detectives found the child two years later in Mexico, and returned it to the father. Love for the child has caused the woman to apply for a divorce, and she will return to her first husband.

PINE LAKE'S MEDICINE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LAPORTE (Ind.) March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An investigation just made discloses the fact that the bottom of Pine Lake, now dried by drainage, possesses valuable medicinal qualities, and steps will soon be taken to establish a large hotel and sanitarium. The lake, which was fed by mineral springs, had no outlet, and by evaporation for centuries the mineral properties of the water were precipitated and absorbed by the mud bottom.

OUT OF HIS MIND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DETROIT, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A well-dressed man, whose queer conduct caused suspicion, and who was identified as E. K. Hayes, president of the Hayes Pump and Planter Company of Galva, Ill., was found in Wyandotte Thursday by Marshal Watson. The city physician pronounced him deranged. Hayes insists he is at Mount Clemens, and calls for his wife, who, he says, is there.

ELECTRIC-LINE PROJECT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MICHIGAN CITY (Ind.) March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] This town is now the center of great activity in railroad building. The surveying party of the Pere Marquette, which is to build its own line into Chicago, has been here for some time. The engineers looking up a route for a new electric road from South Bend to Michigan City have also been in this field for several days. The new line between Michigan City and Laporte is in operation and doing a good business.

U. P. SNUBS KEENE.

HAS TRANSFERRED ESPEE STOCK

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Union Pacific Railroad interests have flatly refused Keene's request for the names and addresses of all stockholders of the Southern Pacific Railway. The result is that Keene will be unable to reach many of the small stockholders to whom he has been anxious to send his blank form of proxy. His lawyers are considering an appeal to the courts.

It is generally believed that when the injunction suit comes up for hearing, April 1, it will be found that the Union Pacific company has transferred its entire holdings of Southern Pacific to the Oregon Short Line, which is not a competing system.

There were no sensational features in Southern Pacific today, if a sharp drop in stock at the opening may be excepted. Both sides refused to discuss the case, and neither confirmation nor denial of the rumors that Union Pacific holdings of Southern Pacific had been so arranged that the injunction sought by Taylor litigants would be ineffective could be obtained. A director of the company said that they deemed it unwise to discuss any points relating to the case, but that the answer of the company would be exceedingly full and frank. He added: "Much interesting history will be disclosed in the answer, and it will be a very valuable contribution to the history of the case."

There was a repetition today of the rumor that some kind of an agreement had been patched up between contending parties, and it was asserted in the street that the Harriman interests had taken over the Keene holdings, and that Keene was now a bull on the general market. Both sides denied this rumor, but it was repeated with an insistence that induced many to believe it.

CANADIAN FAST MAIL.

TO THE PACIFIC OCEAN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Sir Thomas George Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific, and Lord Strathcona, High Commissioner of Canada in Great Britain, one of the directors of the road, have practically completed arrangements for giving the great Canadian line uninterrupted fast mail and passenger service between Euston Station in this city and the Pacific Ocean.

The conclusion of the transaction coincided with the developments that are considered by the Canadian officials as equivalent to the dissolution of the North Atlantic Steamship Conference, which, several years ago, distributed west-bound freight and passenger traffic between German lines on one hand and British companies on the other. This arrangement allotted all Scandinavian business to British ships, and all but 6 per cent. of continental business to German vessels.

ARIZONA.

BURIED THE HATCHET IN CLOSING HOURS.

TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE IS NOW A MEMORY.

Repeal Bill in Interest of United Verde Company Dies in Governor's Hands—Only Direct Veto that of Woman Suffrage Bill.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The twenty-second Legislature remained in session until daylight this morning, although the clocks in both houses, and the Governor's office showed the official time as only 11:30.

The Appropriation Bill, carrying items of over $90,000, passed practically unamended, after wrangling in conference the whole night. Every unpleasant episode appeared to be forgotten at the close, however, and votes of appreciation were extended Gov. Brodie, President Ives and Speaker Powers, also to the employés. The Governor returned the compliment with interest.

Five bills were left unsigned by the Governor. One of them was that establishing a manual training school in the Gila Valley. Perhaps the most important was that repealing the Andrews act of two years ago, that calls for the payment of taxes levied before appeal to the courts may be taken against the assessment. This bill was directed at the United Verde Company, and its agent, H. J. Allen, was successful only in getting its repeal as far as the Governor's office. The only veto was that of the Woman's Rights Bill. Only twenty-three Council bills were signed and sixty-four house bills.

SHEEPMEN WIN.

FOREST GRAZING CASE.

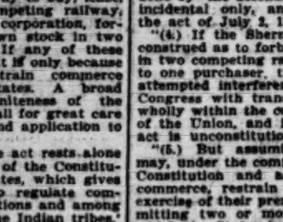
[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the Territorial Supreme Court today, E. M. Doe, representing the Sheep Owners' Association of Northern Arizona, secured judgment for his clients, in a case that involved the validity of the forest grazing regulations of the Interior Department. The decision, pronounced by Chief Justice Kent, declared, in effect, that Congress could not delegate its lawmaking power. The Secretary of the Interior had promulgated certain forest-grazing restrictions, departure from them constituting a crime, punishable in the courts. This, the court declared, is unconstitutional, and necessarily void.

If the regulations prescribed by the Interior Department had been carried out, an end to the sheep industry in Arizona would soon have been reached.

UNION PACIFIC WATER PURIFIERS.

CHICAGO, March 20.—The general manager of the Union Pacific has closed a contract with a Chicago company for the construction of five water purifying plants, to be constructed on the system between Omaha and Salt Lake. The only plant of its kind ever given to any other country, and the expenditure of at least $ is to begin at once. The the Union Pacific Railroad the question of pure water mated that the average in tives will be more than



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PACIFIC SLOPE.

"KNOCKOUT" DROPS FATAL

Mysterious Poisoning Case in San Francisco.

Man Dead and Companion Narrowly Escaped.

Quick Defense Begins—Former Treasurer Whittlesey Indicted in Seattle.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—The police are confronted today with a mysterious "knockout" drops case in which one man was killed early this morning and another brought near to death. The murdered man was James McKenzie, and the one who escaped the effect of the noxious poison is John Doyle. The men, who were laborers and sailors, had been companions for many years. Last night Doyle came up from the San Mateo railroad yards to spend their earnings. After visiting a theater they ate supper at a Chinese chophouse, and then visited a certain saloon on Market street. Tonight said they drank beer a number of times, and when he had drunk his fifth glass he stepped out to the rear to get a breath of fresh air. Upon returning he found McKenzie drinking beer awaiting him on the table. He drank a portion of it, found it to have a peculiar taste, and declared that someone was trying to dope him. He then turned upon McKenney to leave, but found that they were outside he vomited. Before he became dizzy, and McKenzie in the same time complained of being sick. An old man who had been sitting with them in the saloon appeared to be asleep, and went away. McKenzie, being a stupor, and a coupe was summoned. The two men with the old acquaintances were driven to a water-front saloon where they were called in. McKenney was carried to the Harbor Hospital and died a few minutes. The doctors gave him antidote treatment, and saved his life.

Averill, the barkeeper at the saloon, says Doyle sipped the beer and said something was wrong with the beverage. Averill saw a cork floating in the glass, and went to remove it with a spoon. Doyle decided to drink the beer, believing it was something of a poor character that had fallen into one of the keg. Others drank from the keg, and no ill-effect. Coroner Leach of McKenney has been notified. City Chemist Lee Lee Lee analysis. The surgeon could not find any trace of acid poisoning.

Buchman, a lad of 18 years, who fainted the men in a crowd in front, is detained by the police, but he is not thought to be implicated. A man known as "Slim," who is known to Doyle, was the last man who was in the saloon. The police are anxious to find the man who was in the saloon, and who was instrumental in the poisoning was changed. Doyle and McKenney before. The fact that they dined, and boasted of having drunk, suggests the theory that the drink was a possibility, however, that the men may have been sick by ptomaine poisoning following the meals partaken of the cheap chophouse.

DIMMICK CASE

PREPARING FOR DEFENSE.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—When the case was resumed this morning in the Dimmick case, Attorney Collins began his preliminary address to the jury. He proposed showing in outline what he expects to prove, and to prove to the remainder of the Dimmick jury.

"I shall prove to your complete satisfaction," said Collins to the jury, "that the prosecution is a private enterprise. We shall show that a conspiracy was hatched in the United States Senate, with Superintendent Burns as the chief conspirator, his associates co-conspirators, and Dimmick the intended victim.

"We shall show who describe the alleged crime carried by Dimmick are the result of the conspiracy, of which Burns was the head. These witnesses are hopelessly mistaken. It is not necessary for me to speak of it in that way. It is not charitable to a crime, but it is charitable to a crime, worthy of crime.

"The matter of money with Leach and Burns, we see in it that Dimmick is responsible for this $30,000 shortage. Congress has many times refused to make good the shortage when, made good by their officers, when it could be shown that the men reimbursed the majority of thefts themselves. It is charged, then, to prove that the individual is guilty, so that we may be able to relieve him of the burden of making good the $30,000 in this conspiracy—hence this trial."

Leach took the stand as the first witness in his own behalf. He made a good witness. Quiet, self-controlled, and yet not assertive, but every particular, he is a man who knows what goes to the making convincing, effective testimony. He spent the forenoon detailing methods by which he and Burns had succeeded him as cashier. He (Dimmick) became involved in the mint, changed the combination on the vault lock. The testimony was technical in character.

SAN DIEGO REJOICES.

TOO MUCH FROM CANAL.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN DIEGO, March 20.—San Diego's celebration over the ratification of the canal treaty was voiced today in a mass meeting called by the Chamber of Commerce at the latter's rooms. The building was packed. Frank P. Allen, president of the Chamber of Commerce, was chairman. A telegram was read from Gov. Pardee.

"I cannot attend your meeting," said Pardee, "but I congratulations on new era in which your construction of the Panama Canal will usher you."

GEORGE C. PARDEE."

Congressman Perkins, Senator Perkins and Dr. Edwin Grant Conklin, one of the most prominent men in the United States, spoke on Pacific Coast, and the importance to production, commerce and wealth of California. Therefore San Diego has reason to rejoice at the progress toward securing an outlet. The greatest enthusiasm was manifested by the people of San Diego, and it is said that the canal will surely end in this city.

GEORGE C. PERKINS."

Telegrams were also read from Congressman Needham and Senator Frank P. Flint, and from Congressman Kahn, who addressed by Judge

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"KNOCKOUT" DROPS FATAL.

Mysterious Poisoning Case in San Francisco.

Man Dead and Companion Narrowly Escaped.

Much Defense Begins—Former Prosecutor Whittlesey Indicted in Seattle.

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Doyle, a lad of 18 years, accompanied the men in a coupé to the Receiving Hospital, is detained by the police, who had thought to be a man known as "Slim," who, according to Doyle, was the murderer. The police are anxious to find the man who was in the saloon, their theory advanced is that the poisoning was shanghaiing, and McKenney believes the fact that they discovered and boasted of having drugged him suggests the theory of shanghaiing. However, it is possible, however, that the men may have been sick by ptomaine poisoning following the meals partaken of in the cheap chophouse.

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Letter from Senator Perkins [illegible] of waterway [illegible] one of the most important to the Pacific Coast, and [illegible] to production. Therefore San Diego has reason to rejoice at the forward securing an [illegible] waterway, undertaken by the people of the United States, will surely end in [illegible]

[illegible] C. PERKINS."

Letters were also read from Needham at Washington, Congressman [illegible] commended by Judge [illegible]

W. R. Andrews, Homer H. Peters, W. E. Smythe, George H. Spears, George W. Marston and F. S. Jennings.

Both the telegrams and speeches were received with much enthusiasm.

BIG BASIN HIGHWAY.

STEPS TOWARD BUILDING ONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN JOSE, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Santa Clara County Sempervirens Club met today in this city and reorganized by electing J. H. Campbell president. Steps were taken for the building of a highway into Big Basin from this city. There was only one sentiment expressed, and that was that the club should not cease its efforts until the road was completed.

Supervisor McAvoy and Judge Ross represented San Mateo county and said that their county was ready to unite with Santa Clara and do its part. John Roll, chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Santa Clara, stood openly for the construction of the road. A committee consisting of Supervisors Roll and McAvoy, Prof. Dudley of Stanford and County Surveyor McMillan was appointed to secure official action. As soon as the counties have designated what they will do, the club will start to raise the balance by popular subscription.

Surveyor McMillan estimates the cost at $20,000. The distance is twenty miles. The proposed road leads from this city to Saratoga and directly over the ridge to the park. There are eight miles of new road to be constructed and five more to be repaired.

INDUCEMENTS TO INCORPORATE.

OFFERED BY NEVADA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CARSON (Nev.) March 20.—Gov. Sparks has signed the Hardin General Incorporation Bill. This bill passed the last session of the Nevada Legislature after a hard fight in the Assembly. The bill is framed on the same lines as that of New Jersey, embracing the merger clause and other salient features.

The main change from the New Jersey law is in the fees, which have been trimmed down considerably in order to give incorporations an inducement to file in this city.

BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

TICKET SCALPER LOSES.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Adolph Ottinger, the ticket broker, who was adjudged guilty of contempt of court by Judge Sloss about six days ago, for refusing to obey an injunction restraining him from dealing in Knights of Pythias excursion tickets, and fined $200, and sent to jail for two days, was denied a writ of habeas corpus today, and remanded to the custody of the Sheriff.

SANTA CRUZ BOND MATTER.

SANTA CRUZ, March 20.—The refunding-bond matter has been compromised, an agreement having been reached in San Francisco yesterday between F. A. Hihn, representing the Citizens' Committee, and Will Thomas, representing the bondholders. Negotiations had been in progress for several months. In order to bind the agreement, $10,000 was advanced by Mr. Hihn. The agreement is to pay $207,000 for the bonds, which is $1000 plus the value of 206 bonds, and less the accrued interest to date, which runs from 1894. Through the compromise the city has gained $137,000, which represents interest.

Students Defy President Wheeler.

BERKELEY, March 21.—Despite the objections of the college faculty to rushing, and the warning of President Wheeler that such action will be considered punishable by immediate expulsion, the sophomores and freshmen, at a secret meeting today, planned to settle their differences by a regulation old-time rush, to be held off the college campus on Sunday night, the eve of Charter Day.

His Shot Went Wild

OAKLAND, March 20.—W. A. Weir, proprietor of the Brunswick Hotel, shot at his step-daughter, Mrs. S. C. Baldwin, and J. C. Cullen, one of his boarders, tonight, because he suspected they were becoming too fond of each other. The bullet did no harm, and no arrests were made.

Pared Corn Too Close.

ALAMEDA, March 20.—John Sedgley, a contractor, died this morning from blood poisoning, following the too-close paring of a corn on one of the toes of his right foot.

OBITUARY.

Luis Maria Peralta.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Luis Maria Peralta, last of the male descendants of the once rich and proud Spanish family of that name, which came to California more than a century ago, died today at the City and County Hospital of an affection of the heart.

Back in the early forties, when the first Americans came to the Pacific Coast, the first of the families to extend welcome to the adventurous Argonauts was the Peraltas. Their lands extended from San José to what is now Port Costa, and at several family houses of male representatives hospitality was extended with a lavish hand. But with the advent of the Americans the family, with its prodigality, allowed its possessions to pass into the hands of others, until, at this time, not a Peralta owns an acre of the hundreds of thousands they once possessed. And the last of the male line of this once proud and wealthy family died today.

Justice C. V. Bardeen.

MADISON (Wis.) March 20.—Justice C. V. Bardeen of the Supreme Court died here this morning.

Charles G. Leland.

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—A cablegram from Florence, Italy, announces the death today in that city of Charles Godfrey Leland, the author and journalist.

Judge Howell.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Judge Howell of Jacksonville, Fla., who was associated with T. V. Powderly on the executive board of the Knights of Labor at the time of the big New York Central strike, died here today of paralysis, aged 75 years.

Col. W. P. Wood.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Col. W. P. Wood, a veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, one of the last survivors of Walker's expedition to Nicaragua, and for nearly half a century a prominent figure in Washington, died here today, aged 84 years.

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Decision Rendered in Ouster Suit of Missouri Against the Packers' Combination.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

JEFFERSON CITY (Mo.) March 20.—The Armour, Cudahy, Swift, Hammond and the Schwarzchilds and Sulzberger packing companies, the five defendants in the ouster proceedings brought by the Attorney-General of Missouri against the alleged beef combine last summer, were fined $5000 each in the Missouri Supreme Court today, and ordered to pay the costs of the case, which amount to $5000. Unless the fines and costs are paid with thirty day, the defendants will be ousted from the State, so the court orders.

The packers against whom this judgment has been issued, have several branches in St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph.

The decision of the Supreme Court, which was announced by Judge Marshall, was unanimous. In the opinion of the court the statements, representations and arguments made by the representatives of the packing companies in St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph were admissible in evidence against the packers, and were just as binding as though they were made and entered into by the highest officers of the companies, or had been solemnly adopted by the directors or stockholders of the companies, and made a part of the minutes of their meetings.

Continuing, the opinion says: "The testimony introduced by the State was abundant to show that the respondents (packers) were members of a combination or pool to fix and maintain prices."

KIDNAPED HER CHILDREN.

Charge Against Mrs. Emma Quinn of Los Angeles for Whom a Warrant Has Been Issued.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DETROIT, March 20.—A News special from Bay City, Mich., says that two granddaughters of M. J. Breen of South Sheridan street are missing from their homes, and a warrant has been issued for Mrs. Emma Quinn of Los Angeles, Cal., on the charge of kidnaping them. Mrs. Quinn is the mother of two girls, and was divorced several years ago from the children's father. The children were sent as usual to school yesterday morning, and no trace of them has been found since they left home.

After the divorce the older of the two girls went to her grandparents to live, while the mother took the younger with her. Later she sent the child also to the grandparents, saying, it is alleged, she was unable to care for her.

WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS BUSY.

NEW ORLEANS, March 20.—The woman suffragists had every hour of their time occupied with business today and tonight. Miss Susan B. Anthony presided at one of the best-attended sessions of the present meeting. Gail Laughlin of Maine and Francis Griffin of Alabama delivered stirring speeches, and Rachael Foster Averry discussed "What's in a Name?" holding that civil betterment leagues are doing the very work suffragists are urging, and will eventually make the same claim for suffrage as the only means to accomplish civil reform. The treasurer's report showed that for the first time there was a surplus in the treasury, and $15,000 had been put out at interest and the foundation laid for a memorial fund.

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PRESIDENT WILL BE FAR FROM HAUNTS OF MEN.

TRIP ARRANGED FOR HIM IN WILDS OF YELLOWSTONE.

Two Weeks of Freedom from Cares of Office to Be Spent in Hunting Big Game, Horseback Riding and Snowshoe Excursions.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

FORT YELLOWSTONE (Mont.) March 20.—According to Maj. Pitcher, most of the President's two weeks of rest and recreation in the Yellowstone National Park will be spent in the little cabins of the soldiers, surrounded by deep snowdrifts. In fact, the President of the United States will share the simple fare of his soldiers. Localities where the President will rest are exceedingly wild; elk, deer, and bear can be seen within a minute's walk from the military cabins. The snow barely commences to melt in April, and a greater part of the trips of the President to various points of interest will have to be made on snowshoes.

Maj. Pitcher's advices are that the President's special will remain at Livingston, and not at Cinnibar, as first announced, and that accompanied only by Dr. Rixey, the Surgeon-General of the Navy, and John Burroughs, the famous naturalist and poet, the President will enter the park for his long stay there, emerging only on April 24.

He will travel, so Maj. Pitcher is informed, to all the chief points of interest. To do this he will go part of the way on horseback, and trails will be broken for him through the snow for that purpose, but there are long stretches, miles in length, where he can go only on snowshoes. Maj. Pitcher has been directed to have to sets of snowshoes in readiness in a sleigh, one for the President and one for Mr. Burroughs, so it is inferred that Dr. Rixey will go only part of the way.

A very limited number of soldiers, two or three, will accompany the party as orderlies and messengers. Through men and through relays at the various patrol stations, the President will be kept in daily communication with the remainder of his party. A telegraph line will be stretched into the Presidential train at Livingston, where an executive office, directed by Secretary Loeb, will be established.

The Presidential party will fare exactly as do the soldiers who patrol the reserve. The President will get no better shelter than the little cabins erected for the shelter of the patrolling troopers. Each little cabin contains a bunk, a stove, a supply of fuel, some bacon, beans, coffee, tea and a few other necessaries.

THOUGHTFUL FOR MAYOR.

PRESIDENT REBUKES CHICAGO.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The President regrets very much the fact that Chicago Republicans who have charge of the programme for his entertainment have ignored Mayor Harrison in making arrangements. He places all the blame for the unpleasant features which have come out regarding his visit upon them. He says there would have been nothing to mar the pleasure of his visit had the Chicagoans in charge accorded to the Mayor the part to which his office entitles him in welcoming the Chief Executive of the nation to the city. He is determined to do everything he can to smooth matters over before he reaches Chicago.

Today he summoned Senators Cullom and Hopkins to the White House and asked them to communicate his views on the matter to the members of the local committee having his entertainment in charge and to request that Mr. Harrison be made a member of the committee and accorded all consideration due him as Mayor of Chicago. The President also requested the Senators to inform Mayor Harrison personally that the President wishes to see him while in Chicago, so that he could personally assure him that his trip, so far as Chicago was concerned, was of an entirely non-partisan nature.

HARRISON WILL SERVE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mayor Harrison has received the President's message through Senators Cullom and Hopkins and has telegraphed the reply that he will be glad to join the citizens of Chicago in welcoming the President. Chicagoans generally are disgusted with the committee's blunder in attempting to slight Mayor Harrison in arranging for the reception of the President.

LOOKS BAD FOR COLLINS.

GEORGETOWN (Del.) March 20.—A sensation was sprung today in the trial of Elmer Collins, charged with the murder of his wife, Ilda, when Harrison Wrotten testified that he was passing the Collins home on the night before the murder, heard quarreling, and overheard the remark, in a man's voice: "I will kill you between this and morning." Wrotten was the last witness for the State.

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2-button Silk Gloves, in all colors, with hand-embroidered backs and with hemstitched and embroidered tops	$2.00

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Women's cambric drawers with lawn ruffle, cluster of tucks, two rows torchon insertion and lace to match	$1.00
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Women's cambric gowns, Mother Hubbard style, yoke of clusters of fine tucks, round neck, with rows valenciennes insertion, lace edge to match, beading and ribbon trimmed	75c
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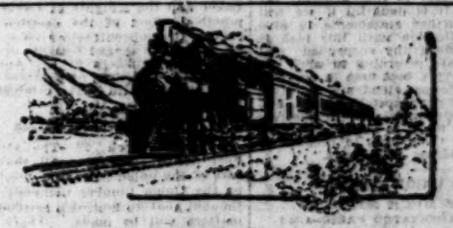
Women's cambric gowns, Mother Hubbard style, yoke of embroidery insertion and hemstitching, very fine patterns of embroidery, embroidery edge in neck and sleeves	$1.25



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UNIONISTS EAT CROW.

Decide not to Tie Up United Railways.

Yield to the Company the Principal Point at Issue.

Espee Wage Adjustment—Wabash Injunction Case Taken Under Advisement.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—The efforts of the peacemakers in the street-car troubles have borne good fruit. There will be no immediate strike of the employés of the United Railways, and probably none at all. The Carmen's Union has retreated from its position in refusing to allow the suspended men to sign student cards, and the men will return to work at once after attaching their signatures to the certificates of the men they had been breaking in. It is understood that the men will be reimbursed by the union for their loss of time. The controversy will consequently be postponed until March 30, when the company will make reply to the other demands of the union, and in the meantime the advisers of the union will be active in their labors to effect an amicable settlement.

General Manager Chapman tonight issued the following statement: "I am pleased to state that the controversy with regard to the suspended men is at an end. Mr. Cornelius has just notified me that the committee has finally accepted our proposition. The men will sign the cards, and the rule will remain suspended pending adjustment. With this annoying feature back of us we will now be at liberty to give careful consideration to the general demands, and it is doubtful if we will have any further statements to give out for publication until this task is finished. Among the suspended employés who are returning to work are some of the very best men in our employ. Their superintendents regretted the necessity for suspending them, and I am persuaded the men themselves disliked very much to disobey the rule. We welcome them back to their posts with the kindliest of feelings."

LONE UNION FIREMAN.

CAUSES MUCH MISCHIEF.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, March 20.—One thousand employés of Sels, Schwab & Co., shoe manufacturers, were thrown out of employment today on account of one fireman who struck for union wages. The lone fireman was being paid 12½ cents an hour, and upon his joining the Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen, that union demanded that he be paid the union scale of 25½ cents an hour. The employés of the factory were notified that the plant would be closed until further notice.

NEW HAVEN RAILROAD.

OUTLOOK FOR SETTLEMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) March 20.—Almost simultaneously with the assembling today of the Grievance Committee of the conductors and trainmen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, the reply of the directors to the men's demands was made public at President Hall's office.

The reply announces a proposition counter to that of the men. The company proposes to secure from its operating department figures on which new wage schedules can be offered to the men on Wednesday, March 25, and desired the Grievance Committee to arrange that not only trainmen and conductors, but all employés shall be included in the negotiations.

The communication was sent to the Grievance Committee, and shortly thereafter that body went into secret session. Later a reply was sent to President Hall, saying in effect that the committees would comply with the wish of the board of directors and await a further message from the board on March 26.

ESPEE WAGE SCHEDULE.

BASIS OF ADJUSTMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—The result of the long conference between the trainmen of the western division of the Southern Pacific and the officials of the company was announced today. A settlement was reached on a basis of 15 per cent. increase in the wages of the freight trainmen, and of 12 per cent. in the wages of the passenger trainmen.

This increase will affect between 3500 and 4000 employés on this division. Some minor details remain to be adjusted, including the questions of abolishing "double-ender" trains, and relating to the hours of labor. Another point settled is that of the wages of the yardmen. Some time ago the company advanced the wages of operators in the larger yards, such as Stockton, Sacramento, Oakland and Ogden, the raise being from 5 to 17 per cent., and in the smaller yairds an increase of 10 per cent. was made. Later it was realized that the apportionments were not equally made, and today arrangements were agreed upon whereby the smaller yards will get an additional 4 per cent. increase.

HELD UP WORKMEN

FIVE MASKED STRIKERS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SPOKANE (Wash.) March 20.—A special from Cranbrook, B. C., says that five masked men went up to the No. 1 Creek mine near Fernie at an early hour this morning and compelled the six men working on the fans to leave the place. Revolvers were used threateningly and some altercations occurred. The masked men then went to Mine Superintendent Doneen's home, and threatened the superintendent and his wife.

The police hastily secured a special train, and brought the workingmen back to the mine. This is the first act of violence in connection with the strike.

WABASH CASE.

ARGUMENTS CONCLUDED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—Arguments in the Wabash injunction suit were concluded at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and the case was taken under advisement by Judge Adams. He gave no intimation of how much time he might require to prepare his opinion, but the attorneys declared after the adjournment of court that they would look for a decision in about one week or ten days.

Teamsters Quit Work

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—In the face of the colder weather that has visited this city and vicinity and the cold wave predicted for tonight, coal dealers are unable to deliver fuel today, six hundred or more teamsters employed by them having struck for higher wages.

Federation Wins Case.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Judge Hagner of the Supreme Court of the district, has issued an injunction involving the American Federation of Labor and the Knights of Labor. The practical effect of the decision is to compel the subcontractors on a building who had engaged Knights of Labor to employ members of the American Federation of Labor, as provided for in the contract with the original contractors.

All Unionists Discharged.

UKIAH, March 20.—The strike at Fort Bragg continues. All the members of the union have been discharged by the Union Lumber Company. It is thought that an amicable settlement of matters will be made. There is no trouble over wages or hours of work, the only thing demanded by the men being the recognition of the union by the mill company.

Union Demands Too Much.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—It is probable that there will be a light pack of salmon at the Alaska canneries this season. A number of the canneries will not open for operations, their managers claiming they will not be able to pay the advanced wages demanded by the members of the Fishermen's Union.

Police Prevented Violence.

OAKLAND, March 20.—Fifty laborers quit the employ of Cotton Bros. and the Hutchinson-Ransom Company, contractors, for the Santa Fé work at Emeryville today because they were refused a raise from 20 cents to 25 cents an hour for their work. A few men who took the places of the strikers were threatened with violence, but the presence of the police prevented any overt acts.

YALE'S ELECTIVE COURSES.

President Hadley's Policy of Throwing Open Optional Branches to All Classes Has Been Continued.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW HAVEN, March 20.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Yale's elective courses, announced today for 1903, continue the policy inaugurated by President Hadley of throwing open optional courses to all classes. Freshmen are to be given slightly broader latitude than ever, although the details of their electives are withheld for the present. Till a year ago, all their studies were required.

Sophomores are given a range of fifteen optional courses, from which they will be allowed to select five. The work in junior and senior years is all optional. Plans have been completed whereby the senior year can be counted as one year in a medical, law, or theological course. Mason Trowbridge, formerly of Chicago, offers a new course in debates on public questions.

A new course in insurance is offered by the heads of large companies. Prof. Theodore S. Woolsey offers a new course in international law; Prof. Albert G. Keller a course in the science of society; Dr. C. B. Tinker a course on the English ballad, and Prof. Joseph Barret one on dynamical and structural geology.

MISSISSIPPI RAGING OVER ARKANSAS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MEMPHIS (Tenn.) March 20. — The feeling of hope that was produced yesterday and last night by the Mississippi River coming to a stand at this point was dispelled today by the occurrence of two additional breaks in the St. Francis levees north of the first crevasse at Trice's landing, Ark., and the grave reports that are being received from Mississippi points, as well as by the rise of one-tenth here. Today the St. Francis levees gave way at Randomshot, and Shawnee, Ark., the first about forty-two miles from Memphis, and the second about thirty-five. Both crevasses are reported to be serious, the one at Shawnee being the worst.

The two breaks today will probably increase slightly the water in the territory of the Arkansas, which was flooded by the break at Trice's landing, and in addition they are flooding a vast scope of country which has thus far been free from any large amount of water. The situation therefore in Arkansas is more grave than at any time during the flood. Relief measures have been, and must be for several days, completely inadequate. The long line of levees that guard the river front of the Mississippi, and protect the vast and fertile delta region of that State, and which have thus far stood firm against the great flood, are reported to be in a critical condition at many points, and news of disasters from that country will not be surprising. At some points the water is sweeping through the embankment, flooding villages and plantations, and at other places the embankment is overtopped by the flood, and enormous quantities of water are being discharged into the country.

The most encouraging feature tonight is the fact that the river has remained stationary all day, and that a falling stage is reported from St. Louis, Cairo and other points on the Mississippi, and its tributaries.

Refugees are continuing to arrive in great numbers, and the facilities are too limited to care for them. In response to a telegram asking for aid from Mayor Williams of this city, Secretary of War Root has answered that he will supply all needed tents, as well as provisions for the flood sufferers.

From the protected sections, able-bodied negro men and their entire families are coming to the city in large numbers, ostensibly as flood refugees, but their real purpose seems to be to escape work and be cared for by the city and charitable organizations. This is not only increasing the city's burden, but it is working great hardship upon the planters, as they cannot secure the laborers so badly needed at present.

The railroad situation west of Memphis shows no improvement, and tonight traffic is still completely suspended.

WASHINGTON.

(CONTINUED FROM FIRST PAGE.)

extraordinary session which adjourned yesterday. Both the President and the members of the Cabinet are satisfied that the Cuban reciprocity treaty will be ratified by the Cuban Congress as it was ratified by the Senate.

The President is particularly gratified, because the American Senate has demonstrated what he regards as the good faith of the United States in extending, so far as it may, the relief of this country to Cuba.

CRUM AND BYRNES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The President today reappointed Dr. William D. Crum, colored, to be Collector of Customs at Charleston, S. C., and William M. Byrnes, United States District Attorney for Delaware. Both of these nominations failed of confirmation at the recent session of the Senate.

THE CUBAN TREATY.

PROVISIONS OF THE DOCUMENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—The Cuban treaty ratified by the Senate was negotiated in Havana December 11, 1902, between Gen. Tasker and H. Bliss, representing the United States, and Carlos de Saldo and José M. Garcia Montes, representing Cuba. The United States Senate made several amendments to the document. As ratified by the Senate today, it provides that all merchandise produced by either country which now enters the other duty free shall continue free of import duties. It says: "All other Cuban products imported into the United States shall enter at a reduction of 20 per cent. from the rate of duty imposed by the United States on such articles of merchandise. All imports into Cuba from the United States not entitled to free entry shall be given a reduction of 20 per cent., provided they do not fall within the hereafter-named clauses to which a greater reduction in duty is made."

Schedule A provides that the following articles shall be entitled to 25 per cent. reduction from the regular tariff: Machinery and apparatus in which copper or its alloys enter as the component of chief value; cast iron, wrought iron and steel and manufactures thereof; articles of crystal and glass, except window glass, ships and water-borne vessels of all kind, of iron and steel; whiskies and brandies, fish, salted, picked, smoked or marinieri, fresh or shell fish, preserved in oil or otherwise in tin, articles or pottery or earthenware, now classified under paragraphs 21 and 22 of the customs tariff of the republic of Cuba.

Schedule B gives a reduction of 20 per cent. on the following articles: Butter, the flour of wheat, corn, the flour of corn, or corn meal, chemical and pharmaceutical products and simple drugs, malt liquors in bottles, non-alcoholic beverages, cider, mineral waters, colors and dyes, window glass, complete or partly made-up articles of hemp, flax, jute, hennequin, ramie and other vegetable fibers now classified under the paragraphs of group 2, class V, of the custom's tariff of the republic of Cuba; musical instruments, writing and printing papers, except for newspapers, cotton and manufactures thereof, except knitted goods, all articles of cutlery, boots, shoes and slippers now classified under paragraphs 197 and 198 of the customs tariff of the republic of Cuba; gold and similar plated ware, drawings, photographs, engravings, lithographs, etc., printed from stone, zinc, aluminum or other articles used as labels for bands, wrappers for tobacco or other purposes, and all other papers, except papers for cigarettes; excepting maps, charts, pasteboard and manufactures thereof, now classified under paragraphs 157 and 164, inclusive of the customs tariff of the republic of Cuba, common or ordinary, now classified under paragraph 105, letters "A" and "B" of the customs tariff of the republic of Cuba; vegetables, pickled or preserved in any manner; all wines, except those now classified under paragraph 279 of the customs tariff of the republic of Cuba.

Schedule C gives a reduction of 40 per cent. on the following: Manufactures of cotton and all manufactures of cotton, not included in the preceding schedules; cheese, fruits, preserved paper pulp, perfumery and essence, articles of pottery and earthenware, now classified under paragraph 105 of the customs tariff of the republic of Cuba; umbrellas and parts, glucose, watches, wool and manufactures thereof, silver and manufacturers thereof, rice and cattle.

It is specifically agreed that tobacco in any form for use shall not be given any concession or rebate of duty when imported into Cuba. Both countries agree that the rates of duty granted during the life of the treaty shall be preferential, as respects like imports from other countries. It is specifically provided that while the treaty is in force, no Cuban sugars shall be admitted into the United States at a greater reduction than 20 per cent. reduction from the present tariff, and that no sugar produced by any other country than Cuba shall be admitted into the United States by treaty while the new treaty is in force at a lower rate of duty than that imposed by existing law.

Provision is made against any impairment of the effect of the treaty by means of national or local taxes or charges. The treaty contains articles by which either country may denounce it should changes in the other's tariff deprive the objecting nation of its tariff advantages.

CABLED TO PALMA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Acting Secretary of State Loomis and Quesada, the Cuban Minister, after discussing the prospects of an exchange of ratifications of the Cuban treaty within the time limits, today decided to cable President Palma, requesting him to call the Cuban Congress in extraordinary session immediately for this purpose, as that body otherwise would not meet until April 7, seven days after the expiration of the legal time limit for the exchange of ratifications.

CONFLICTING CLAUSES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—From such imperfect readings of the treaty as can be had at this stage, the State Department officials have some doubt as to their ability to do any thing whatever with the convention. The amendments made by the Senate, that added to the ratifying articles, though probably not so intended, may result in the complete loss of the treaty. There are conflicting clauses, which it may not be possible to reconcile. Article II provided originally that "the present convention shall be ratified by the appropriate authorities of the respective countries, and ratifications shall be exchanged at Washington, as soon as may be possible before the 31st day of January, 1903, and the convention shall go into effect on the day after the exchange of ratifications, and shall continue in force for the term of five years from date of going into effect, and from year to year thereafter, until the expiration of one year from the day when either of the contracting parties shall give notice to the other officers shall terminate the same."

Usually it is provided that a treaty shall go into effect as soon as the ratifications are exchanged, and with the slight change in this respect, the original ratifying clause of the Cuban treaty was in the usual form, and would not have led to complications. The date of January 31 was changed by both governments, before the United States Senate acted, to March 31, and that is how the article stood when the Senate added this sentence: "This treaty shall not take effect until the same shall have been approved by the Congress."

This led to complications which are now vexing the department. Here were two different dates fixed in the same article for the taking effect of the treaty. The weight of opinion inclines to the belief that, following common law principle, the last stipulation should govern, which would defer the operation of the treaty until after Congress acted. But a more serious difficulty is pointed out as follows:

It is hardly regarded as feasible, and is certainly in violation of precedent, to exchange ratifications of a document which is not a treaty, as this Cuba convention will not be, in the opinion of some of the State Department people, until the Congress has set its approval upon it. If this view is correct, then the exchange of ratifications will have to be deferred until next winter at the earliest, and the delay, it is thought, will cause the failure of the treaty in its present form because of the inability of the negotiators to meet the requirement of Article II, which demands that the exchange take place before March 31. It is possible that a way will be found out of this web of contraries, and to that end the State Department people are now working.

The Cuban Minister here is dismayed at the situation, and although he made every effort in his power to keep the facts from attracting attntion, they developed fully today, even to the knowledge of his immediate compliance with the State Department suggesting that he cable President Palma suggesting an immediate calling together of the Cuban Congress.

RIGHT OF SELF-DEFENSE.

FOULKE TO SENATOR SPOONER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Civil Service Commissioner Foulke today sent a letter to Senator Spooner of Wisconsin, in reply to sharp criticisms of letters written to individual Senators by Mr. Foulke regarding certain inaccuracies in statements made on the floor during consideration of a resolution calling for information from the committee regarding the removal of Elmer E. Forshay from the Surveyor-General's office of Idaho. Mr. Foulke says:

"Thus the paradox is presented that, although the charge was untrufe, I had no right to point out the particulars in which it was untrue, even in letters to individual Senators. If this position is sound, it will be the duty of executive officers to submit in absolute silence to the gravest charges of misconduct or even crime, uttered in the most public place in the nation. No self-respecting man could hold an administrative office under such conditions. I submit that it is not to my letter that the epthet of 'supreme effrontery' can most fitly be applied.

"In conclusion, hereafter, when my conduct or the body to which I belong is unjustly attacked in either house of Congress, I shall continue to address to any Senator or any Representative, who will receive it, a communication, pointing out the inaccuracy as correctly as I know how; I shall seek to have the unjust charge refuted as publicly as it was made, and if (as I do not believe,) the time should come when I can find no Senator or Representative who is willing to give me a hearing, I shall seek by every means in my power to make the world acquainted with the injustice.

"I do not believe that any considerable number of Senators will insist on such a doctrine of Senatorial lese majesté, as will prevent any officer, however humble the position he may hold, from protecting himself against unfounded accusations by every lawful means in his power."

TENNESSEE REFUGEES.

TENTS AND SUPPLIES POSSIBLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Upon the receipt of a dispatch from the Mayor of Memphis appealing for tents to shelter the refugees from the overflowed districts along the Mississippi River, who are congregating in Memphis in large numbers, Secretary Root today wired the Governor of Tennessee for a statement of the conditions. If it is found that the State is unable to cope with the situation the Secretary will at once authorize the loan of the necessary number of tents.

In addition to tents, the War Department will furnish commissary supplies, if necessary.

VENEZUELAN CONTROVERSY.

ANOTHER IMPORTANT CHAPTER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Another important chapter in the Venezuelan controversy has developed. Impelled by the persistent reports which have been circulated that there might be a disposition on the part of the allied powers to settle directly with President Castro the question of the payments of the claims of their citizens against Venezuela, coupled with exasperating delay in settling the additional protocols with Mr. Bowen, Venezuela's representative has made an effort to obtain positive information from the allies as to their intentions in the matter.

With this purpose in view, he addressed to Sir Michael Herbert, the British Ambassador at Washington, a polite note calling attention to the delay of about a month, and to the rumors that have been current that the powers are not disposed to send the question of preferential treatment to The Hague. Mr. Bowen urged it as desirable that some declarations should be made by the allies as to what they will do.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Prospective Army Changes.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Col. Peter Haines, Corps of Engineers is to be promoted to the rank of brigadier-general and retained on the active list until his statutory retirement in July, 1904. He will be appointed to the vacancy created by the promotion of Brig.-Gen. B. F. Wade to the rank of major-general on the statutory retirement, April 11, of Maj.-Gen. Robert P. Hughes, in command of the Department of California. Quartermaster-General Ludington and Inspector-General Breckenridge each will be promoted to the grade of major-general on the retirement of Gen. Hughes, and each will be retired in that rank on the day of his promotion, thus leaving a vacancy for the promotion of Gen. Wade.

Senators at White House.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Nearly a quorum of Senators were at the White House today. Many of the Senators called merely to pay their respects to the President before leaving the city, while some of them wished to discuss appointments. Details of the approaching Western trip were discussed with a few Senators from the section of the country through which the President will journey.

Rebellion at Yam Chow.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—A cablegram received at the State Department today from United States Consul McWade at Canton says:

"Viceroy Teson today dispatched troops to suppress an incipient rebellion at Yam Chow, in the province of Kwan Tung.

Changes in Navy.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—It is said that Capt. Dayton, who assumed command of the European squadron today on the retirement of Rear-Admiral Crowninshield, will be relieved of the command of the cruiser Chicago by Capt. Cornwell at about the same time that Rear-Admiral Cotton assumes command of the European station. Admiral Cotton will join the squadron at Villefranche, about April 15.

STILL OF SAME OPINION.

Buffalo Chief of Police Has not Changed His Theory Regarding the Murder of Burdick.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BUFFALO (N. Y.) March 20.—Chief of Police Bull said today that his opinion as to who killed Burdick had not been changed at any time since the murder.

"I believe a woman killed Burdick," he declared, "and I suspect the same woman now that I did the day of the murder. I believe Mr. Cusack and the District Attorney are of quite the same opinion."

The foregoing statement was made by the Chief of Police in an interview denying a published report which quoted him as saying: "It looks more like Pennell's job than at any time since the murder."

Ever since Burdick was murdered the police have been trying to learn, among other things, what kind of a weapon was used in the commission of the crime. A golf stick and the missing cocktail bottle have been considered. The latter is now eliminated from all consideration. Dr. Danser, the medical examiner, said tonight that a cocktail bottle never could have made the wounds which killed Burdick. It was possible, he said, for the back of a hatchet to have caused the wounds, which, in his opinion, were made by an instrument with a sharp edge, and it is possible that a golf stick would have made them.

Former District Attorney Thomas Penny said today: "Not a dollar of Pennell's life insurance will go to Mrs. Burdick."

BRYAN ON JURY.

LINCOLN (Neb.) March 20.—William J. Bryan spent his birthday serving on a jury in the District Court.

Restraining Order Amended.

NASHVILLE (Tenn.) March 20.—United States Judge Lurton, sitting in chambers here, has granted the motion made by attorneys for the Southern Pacific Railroad to amend the restraining order granted March 13. The motion was to strike out the words "in the city of New York," where they first occurred in the bylaws of the company, and insert the words "at the office of the company in Beechmont, Jefferson county, Ky."

FLORICULTURE in Southern California will be a valuable feature of The Times Magazine hereafter. The information will be given by an expert.

A FAIR TEST.

See if coffee is really the cause of ails.

Some coffee drinkers think they can get on without being sick by limiting the allowance to just one cup a day, and some people can stand this all right, but others cannot.

There are many people where the poison of coffee is so marked and direct that one cup per day, if followed up steadily, will surely and certainly put the patient in bed, or produce chronic, fixed disease of one or more organs of the body.

When a person suspects coffee to be the cause of his or her stomach, liver, kidney, bowel, heart or eye disturbance, it is well to test the case by leaving off coffee for ten days and using Postum Food Coffee in its place. If there is an improvement in health the proof is absolute, and common sense will naturally guide anyone who values comfort, ease, content and ability to do things, to make the change permanent and continue the use of Postum instead of coffee, for it means that life is worth the living when one can be well.

Now and then will be found a degenerate who really prefers sickness of some sort to the comfort of good health, and such persons will continue to use articles of food and drink that they know do not agree with them.

In this land of liberty let every one choose his own course, but one great, glaring, pertinent absolute fact stands out, that coffee does cause misery and distress to thousands of people who do not suspect the cause, and the quitting of coffee and taking on Postum Food Coffee will return the average person to health and comfort. This fact can be proven by any coffee drinker.

Don't let the cook serve Postum underboiled. Insist that directions on the package be followed, then Postum is delicious, having a flavor all its own, not so sharp as "drip coffee," far better than ordinary coffee, with much the soft, mellow flavor of the most expensive grades of Java.

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Dr. G. A. Foote, *of Warrenton, N. C., ex-President Medical Society of North Carolina, formerly Member of the State Board of Medical Examiners, and also of the State Board of Health.* After reporting results obtained from the use of this water in a case of CHRONIC BRIGHT'S DISEASE in his own person, Dr. Foote says: "From this experience in my own case, and observation of its action in similar cases in patients to whom I have prescribed the water, I have no hesitancy in expressing the opinion that BUFFALO LITHIA WATER is the most powerful of known remedies in this distressing and difficult of treatment.

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DRAWING FROM EWING'S BUNCH.

Borchers Has a Talk With Oakland Men.

Want Them Money to Sign With New League.

Fisher Wins Back His Mitt — Stanford's Victory—Good Ohland Races.

[DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OAKLAND, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The first move to entice players away from the Oakland team of the Pacific Coast League was made when George Borchers, better known as "Chief," who has played with the home on the Coast, dropped down and had a talk with four or five Cal. Ewing's bunch. Borchers was known here, having pitched for Oakland nine in 1900, and as soon as it noised the "fans" came to the front that he was after players for the opposition league, but he denied the charge, and asserted that he was going to Stockton to purchase mules for which he is managing near there.

It will not take long for the real object of his visit to leak out, for he remained at Oak Park early in the afternoon watching the players work. Many of them are acquainted with him, and talked with them till they left the field. Who he secured the ears of Jack Ryan, first baseman; Baxter, outfielder, who will hold down the slab man, and one or two others. He offered them from $250 to $300 each if they would desert Ewing and join with the new league, but they refused cash guarantees. They wanted to deposit their salaries for a season in a bank, and give them permission to draw on it monthly. Not a word, but Borchers is still hanging around them, and hopes to secure some of them.

LOS ANGELES LOSERS.

[DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A new angle to the baseball tangle was shown today in a telegram from Joe Cantillon to Ewing: "Charlie Reilly is under contract to me. Cannot play elsewhere without protection." Thereby hangs a tale that may cut a big figure in baseball imbroglio. Cantillon is manager of the Milwaukee baseball association team, whose president is Thomas J. Hickey. Joe will be in Harden this year, and is going to have a hard problem, as the Chicago club also has a team in the field. Both lost money last year. Reilly signed a contract with Cantillon, and wrote later that he would come because he was in poor health and business and would not play this year.

Ewing received word yesterday, from the papers, that Reilly had signed double in the affair, and that the manager of the rival baseball club, which is in the Pacific Coast League, also a member of the Minor League Association, refused to respect contracts, and sent the telegram quoted above.

Manager Sexton of the Western League viewed the opposition backsliding with astonishment, and the tangle will have to be straightened out if Reilly has been under contract to one club, but Hickey has had a long session with the rivals here during the progress of which he openly charged with disloyalty. He left for the East with a heart in his heart for the success of the opposition, and refused to predict that he will have a man under contract to his club, but a bit of leeway in playing with California rival teams.

It is said of Reilly at this time will not allow to the rival cause. Manager Ewing is available at any time before the season is very short. With this statement, no doubts as to the future of John Burns may be set at rest. It is claimed by the Toledo people that they will not play with the opposition if he so desired, without Fred Raymer, claimed by Ewing, comes under the same ban. Should the Columbus management to his written statement ago.

CHARLIE WINS OUT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

SACRAMENTO, March 20.—Manager Sexton of the Sacramento baseball club has won the title of battle, and will have Reilly's trademark and Cutter. Reilly has come back the advance money received from Charlie Reilly, the former opposition baseball player of Los Angeles, and have returned to Toledo, and as Manager Sexton has the team that starts the season will be as advertised. Reilly's plans have been wiped away, and a feeling of good feeling reigns tomorrow the whole bunch will be on practice.

REILLY RELEASED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

BUTTE, Mont., March 20.—John J. Reilly was released from the management of the Butte Baseball Club after a conference with President Lane. McCloskey will be one of the Northwest League, San Francisco.

SEALS' TEAM WON.

DEFEATS PROFESSIONALS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

BERKELEY, March 20.—The University baseball team defeated the San Francisco professionals this afternoon by the varsity team on the latter's grounds today by a score of 5 to 4. In the eighth inning Reilly filled the visitors down to retire. Which did the pitching for the varsity and gave the salaried men a trial in the box. Whalen, Iberg and Reilly in the box, for the varsity men to their hits.

OAKLAND RACES.

SIX CLOSE FINISHES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

OAKLAND, March 20.—The card today proved very interesting, horses being in close contact, the six-furlong handicap, in which up a gap on his field, the finish was reached. Reilly looked like a winner all the way, when the lightweight came with a rush at the end, the favorite, gained a nose victory over Clausus in the last race. Blue Miracle, a 20-to-1 chance, beat Dotterel in the first. The weather was fine and the track fast. Siddons is a doubtful starter in the Thornton stakes at four miles tomorrow. Results:

Six and a half furlongs, selling: Blue Miracle, 101 (Lewis,) 20 to 1, won; Dotterel, 91 (L. Wilson,) 13 to 5, second; Hudson, 96 (Bonner,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:22¾. Pickaway, John Boggs, Cambaceres, Anvil, Flamero, Tonopah, Toto Gratiot, Del Vista and Border Mark also ran.

Four furlongs, purse: Whoa Bill, 105 (Lewis,) 8 to 1, won; Celebrant, 109 (L. Wilson,) 9 to 10, second; Sir Appleby, 106 (Jenkins,) 12 to 1, third; time 0:49½. Keogh, Sacredus, Gypsy Ben, Charlie Schweizer, San Francisquete and Kedo also ran.

Six furlongs: Cleviso, 114 (Songer,) 9 to 1, won Judge Voorhies, 114 (Boland,) 11 to 1, second; Indina, 104 (Watson,) 75 to 1, third; time 1:16. Gus Lanka, Alice Carey, Tiranus, Pupil, Noulahka, J. H. Bennett, Father Wentker, Salver, El Piloto, Pure Dale and Senator Beveridge also ran.

Mile and fifty yards, selling: Sam Fulen, 110 (Bonner,) 8 to 5, won; Position, 99 (Adkins,) 4 to 1 second; Sweet Tooth, 102 (Birkenruth,) 7 to 2, third; time 1:44½. Jim Hale, Illowaho, Billy Lyons and Miracle II also ran.

Six furlongs, handicap: Dainty, 92 (L. Wilson,) 21 to 5, won; Princess Titania, 108 (Birkenruth,) 9 to 5, second; Beau Ormonde, 108 (Bonner,) 18 to 5, third; time 1:14½. Mocorito, Sad Sam and Americano also ran.

One mile, selling: Fossil, 100 (Bonner,) 3 to 2, won; Clausus, 103 (Birkenruth,) 9 to 2, second; Action, 106 (Powell,) 13 to 5, third; time 1:45¾. Snare, Past Master and Gorgalette also ran.

Crescent City Races.

NEW ORLEANS, March 20.—Seven furlongs: Safeguard won, Whangdoodle second, Bummer II third; time 1:34 1-5.

Mile and an eighth, selling: Henry of Franstamar won, Limelight second, Joe Doughty third; time 2:01 3-5.

Five and a half furlongs: Silver Fringe won, Myriam W. second, Versifier third; time 1:11 3-5.

One mile: Malster won, Manesr second, De Reszke third; time 1:46.

One mile and an eighth: Ella Dillon won, Ruby Ray second, Compass third; time 2:03 3-5.

Six furlongs: Aratoma won, Tom Kingsley second, Bengal third; time 1:19.

Hopper Wins Big Purse.

LONDON, March 20.—At a race meet held at Sydney, N. S. W., the correspondent of the Daily Mail says, the American cyclist, Hopper, won the $5000 prize in the mile cycle race in the record timeof 1:53 2-5. Walker, the Australian champion, was second.

Basket Ball Game.

OAKLAND, March 20.—A basket-ball game between the Mills College girls and the team composed of students from the University of Nevada at Reno was played this afternoon. The college team won by a score of 17 to 6.

Bobby Walthour's Speed.

ATLANTA (Ga.) March 20.—Bobby Walthour tonight won two out of three five-mile heats in his race with George Leander. His time for the third heat, 7 m. 20 sec., is said to break the American record for a ten-lap track by 15 seconds.

ENGLAND.

CITY OF LONDON PRAISES CHAMBERLAIN.

ROUSING WELCOME TO HIM FROM THE ASSEMBLED PEOPLE.

In His Speech the Secretary Said Boer Leaders Would Be as Loyal to New Government as They Were to the Old.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

LONDON, March 20.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Colonial Secretary Chamberlain today received the city of London's congratulations on his mission to South Africa in the Guild Hall, where Lord Mayor Samuel and the corporation presented him with an address of welcome in the presence of a large gathering of distinguished representatives of politics, the services, art, science, the church, the law and the drama. Among those present were Premier Balfour, most of the Cabinet ministers, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Lord Roberts, the Duke of Fife, the Duke of Argyll, Lord Strathcona, Lord Lister, Signor Marconi, Sir Thomas Lipton and Sir Henry Irving.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain received a remarkable welcome from the expectant crowds, who in their enthusiasm here and there broke through the police and surrounded the carriage.

The Lord Mayor, Lady Mayoress and the corporation officers met Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain in the library, where a procession was formed, headed by trumpeters, and proceeded to the Guild Hall. In which the address eulogizing the Secretary's services in South Africa, was presented. Great cheers greeted Mr. Chamberlain on arising to reply. His speech was largely a reiteration of his recent speech at Southampton. He said he was convinced that everything was in train for a united South Africa under the British flag.

"In the words of my friend, Gen. Delarey," said Mr. Chamberlain, "the Boer leaders will be as loyay to their new government as they were to the old."

The Secretary added that he found no trace in South Africa of vindictiveness among the British against the Boers. He expressed his admiration of the dignified way in which the burghers accepted the result of the appeal to arms, and added:

"The only fruit which we desire from the war is the friendship of those who were so recently fighting us."

The conciliatory spirit conveyed in this sentence pervaded the entire speech.

Subsequently Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain were entertained by the Lord Mayor at luncheon in the Mansion House.

SHREWD MACEDONIANS

In View of Action of Powers Have Decided to Postpone Outbreak to More Opportune Time.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

NEW YORK, March 20.—Interesting side lights are thrown upon the Balkan situation by interviews had with Dimitri Lapoff here, says a dispatch from Sofia, Bulgaria, to the Tribune. According to letters received by President Sarafoff of the revolutionary bands in Macedonia, and by Dimitri Lapoff, who acts as his agent here, the insurgents have decided to postpone a general movement, and await developments. However, the revolutionists intend to drag Europe by the nose into interference in the affairs of Macedonia. M. Lapoff admitted that the Turks were controlling themselves, and acting under better discipline than formerly, and for this reason, he said, it would be a waste of men and ammunition to institute a general uprising, since the representatives of the powers would say that the revolutionists would not allow the Turks to introduce reforms. He added, significantly, that when Europe had turned her eyes elsewhere, and the Turk had begun to laugh in his sleeve over his success in again outwitting the powers, and was repeating his old tactics, the revolutionary bands would resume operations, and harass him in the hope of creating another crisis, and producing a moral shock to the civilized world.

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SENDS HICKOX TO JAIL.

Missouri House Imprisons Senate Clerk for Refusing to Tell Where Certain Boodle Came From.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

JEFFERSON CITY (Mo.) March 20.—In the House today a resolution by Davidson was adopted to imprison Senate Clerk Cole Hickox for refusing to answer questions asked by the House boodle investigating committee as to where he got two $500 bills.

When the result of the vote was announced Hickox was taken in custody by the Sergeant-at-arms. The resolution provides that he shall be committed to the Cole County jail and remain there at the pleasure of the House.

The Speaker must issue commitment papers before Hickox can be imprisoned. Hickox says he will appeal at once for a writ of habeas corpus.

Hickox was arraigned before the House today, and was asked by the Speaker if he still declined to answer the committee's questions.

"I do, sir," replied Hickox in a firm voice.

The resolution to commit Hickox to jail until he satisfied the committee was then presented and adopted.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The town of Peshire in Honduras has been captured by the forces under Gen. Bonilla, President-elect. Gen. Sierra is completely surrounded at Nacaome.

Two meetings of citizens were held in Faneuil Hall, Boston, yesterday to protest against the suppression of truth about the Philippines, and praying for further official inquiry into conditions there. The men active in preparing for the meetings have been prominent in the New England Anti-Imperialistic League.

Owing to the spread of the Morocco rebellion, the government declines to be responsible for the safety of Europeans traveling in the interior of the country.

Official returns show that the Victoria, Australia, wheat harvest this season will average only one-quarter bushel per acre, owing to the drought.

A conference held at Bloemfontein of the representatives of South African colonies, is said to have practically decided in favor of a preferential reduction of 25 per cent. of the duty on goods from Great Britain and the colonies, as well as the according of reciprocal treatment.

With cab and tender ablaze, and engineer and fireman huddled on the platform of the car behind, with the flames sweeping toward them, the Washington Express over the Pennsylvania raced toward Jersey City last night for thirty miles, with the engine's throttle wide open.

Officials of the Mormon Church have arranged to make a powerful appeal to Gov. Odell for the pardon of William Hooper Young, now serving a life sentence in Sing Sing.

The anniversary yesterday of the death of Louis Kossuth was marked at Buda Pest by the usual student demonstrations and collisions with the police.

JOCKEY CLUB STEWARDS.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Stewards of the Jockey Club held an important business meeting. In addition to the appointment of officials for meetings at Bennings and Aqueduct, a long list of applications for licenses as jockeys and trainers was passed upon. Prominent in the list of riders were Tommy Burns, Bullman, Odom and Redfern.

GREAT FIRE IN SYDNEY.

SYDNEY (N. S. W.) March 20.—Hentch's bonded warehouse, containing 10,000 tons of merchandise, was gutted by fire today. The loss is estimated at $2,500,000.

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8. Medley, "Southern Airs"..... Rang
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BUSINESS.

The local clearings yesterday amounted to $931,508.70, as compared with $805,737.25 for the corresponding period of last year. Business is reported excellent in every section and the money market is active. Real estate transfers continue numerous and heavy.

Early losses in wheat at Chicago were offset later by a rally due to strength in corn and fears of damage due to colder weather. May closed at 74 1-8. General improvement was shown by the New York market. Southern Pacific was one of the few exceptions, showing more or less weakness throughout the day.

OPPOSITION TO THE CANAL.

Now that the United States government has officially decided to build an interoceanic waterway across the Panama isthmus, opposition to the project seems to be developing where we have been given reason to believe friendliness for the enterprise existed. It is stated, with some appearance of credibility, that Germany, England and other European powers have emissaries in the Colombian capital who are industriously engaged in piling up obstructions to the treaty, with the purpose, of course, of preventing its ratification by the Congress of Colombia. Ratification by Colombia is the only thing that now stands in the way of the actual beginning of the work of construction. The only hope of thwarting the great undertaking is to bring such influences to bear upon the Colombian legislators that they will refuse to ratify the convention.

While it is not believed that the enemies of the canal will be ultimately successful in preventing ratification by Colombia, the rumors that efforts are to be made in this direction are, at least, disquieting. The fact is recognized that some of the Colombian statesmen are not unlike their kind in other parts of the world, in that they are more or less susceptible to "influence" of the right sort. The prospects appear to be that there will be a warm contest in the Colombian Congress over the ratification of the treaty, but there is not much reason to fear the final outcome. The treaty will probably be ratified in due time, with votes to spare.

The report that England and Germany are secretly taking steps to prevent favorable action by the Colombian Congress on the treaty, is not a pleasant subject for contemplation. It is to be hoped that this report will prove to have been without foundation. Both of the powers named have professed great friendliness for the United States, and have signified their approval of the canal project in more than one way. It is difficult to believe that these expressions of good will were meant to deceive. The American people will prefer to believe, rather, that these disquieting reports are false, and they will so believe, no doubt, until they have evidence to the contrary which cannot be doubted.

It will be to the interest of England and Germany, and of every nation in Europe, to have the Panama canal constructed as soon as possible, for when opened to traffic it will become at once a highway of the world's commerce. Although under the direct authority and management of the United States, its waters will be accessible to the ships of all nations on equal terms, and thus the entre world will in a measure share in the advantages which will be derivable from its use. Therefore, it is inconceivable that England, or Germany, or any other power would seek to place obstacles in the way of this great world improvement.

If we build the canal, we shall, of course, manage it according to our best judgment, and shall defend it in time of war. This fact has been distinctly understood from the inception of the enterprise. Our position on this subject has at no time been open to conjecture, and the nations of the world have professed entire acquiescence in the programme. We are bound to accept these professions in good faith until we have positive proof to the contrary.

New York City is casting about for a municipal motto and "step lively" has been suggested as being about the expression to fill the gap with. This is certainly a happy thought and the motto committee, if there be such a thing, ought to look no further. A seal bearing the figure of a street-car conductor in full uniform pushing his way over the corns and bunions of his passengers and shouting to them to "step lively" would hit off the situation to the dot. Chicago's "I will" and New York's "step lively" are typical of the two cities where life is as strenuous as it is earnest.

It begins to look as if there might be a need for the exportation of some of our expert lobbyists to Bogota in order that the Panama Canal may not yet be ditched in the halls of legislation, instead of across the isthmus.

NEW YORK'S GENTLE "TOUCH."

The Times took occasion, some days since, to make comment on the proposition that has been advanced for furthering the fortunes of New York City by the national government, as a matter of course. The Mail and Express of our tall and narrow metropolis expresses itself thus regarding this matter, which is of so much importance to New York: "There is no good reason why the Federal government should not be asked to participate in the deepening and improving of the Erie Canal, according to the plan favorably reported by the Finance Committee of the State Senate."

We quite agree with our esteemed Gotham contemporary that "there is no good reason why the Federal government should not be asked to participate," etc., etc., but there are oceans of reasons why the Federal government should politely and positively decline New York's very polite and "touching" invitation. The Mail and Express itself points out some of the reasons, this one among others—that "to deepen the canal would destroy the competition of ports to the southward of us with New York City, and consequently to discriminate wrongfully against them in the expenditure of public money." That is a perfectly valid reason, and the esteemed M and E has stated the matter well. But there are other reasons which will occur to the mind of even the most superficial thinker on the subject. One of them is that New York State and city are amply able, financially and otherwise, to deepen and improve the Erie Canal without calling upon us humble dwellers in the "cow counties" of the country to chip in for their benefit.

It will be agreed by all hands and the cook that the improvement of the Erie Canal will be a mighty good thing for New York, and the people of the country will go further than that—they will cheerfully agree that if New York wants the work done she should proceed to do it.

DECENCY IN VAUDEVILLE.

The manager of three vaudeville theaters in Chicago has posted notices therein prohibiting performers from using swear words, coarse expressions and the name of the Deity on the stage. This is an example that should be followed in every variety house in the land. The performer who has to descend to smutty allusions, double entendre, thinly-veiled oaths, or the real broad swear, in order to make his "turn" go would better get out of the business. There is no good reason why the vaudeville stage should not be elevating in its tendency, nor why good, clean fun should not "take" in any community in America. As a class, Americans are among the cleanest-minded people in the world, and while there is in every audience a certain small and noisy element that will guffaw at coarseness and indecency, the larger portion has its nerves put on edge by certain "smart" performers who offend the sensibilities and outrage the proprieties. It is the plain duty of theatrical managers who assume to cater to the better element in the community to protect their audiences against the coarse-grained and raw-mannered performer who goes upon the stage with a mind filled with dirt, and shows a disposition to unload it upon a helpless audience of decent and self-respecting women and men. Chicago has set the rest of the country an admirable example, and it will be money in the pockets of other theatrical managers if they will closely pursue the Chicago idea in the direction indicated.

THERE ARE OTHERS.

Los Angeleños often complain of the insufficiency of street cars to accommodate the traffic, especially at certain times of the day or night. It must be confessed that the complaint is not altogether without cause; for, truth to tell, we are often compelled to hang on "by our eyebrows" and other portions of our anatomy, in order to get where we want to go. But we are not the only sufferers. If the old saying be true, that "misery loves company," we certainly ought to love our fellow-countrymen of Chicago and New York, for they are fellow-sufferers in the matter of overloaded street cars, to an extent probably never experienced by the average Angeleño.

The dispatches have told us of the recent formation of an "anti-strap" society in Chicago, which speedily attained a numerical strength of something like 100,000 members, although the movement was started as a joke. The following article from the New York Mail and Express of recent date gives some idea of the transportation conditions prevailing in that city, which the authorities seem unable to remedy:

"A bloody fight on a Sixth-avenue elevated station, in which a passenger drew a revolver on the guard who tried to exclude him from a full train, and had to be overpowered by a football athlete who was luckily present, is a new illustration of the conditions of local transit. Rows, usually somewhat less violent, are a very common feature of the travel nowadays.

"Another outcropping of intolerable conditions is the systematic 'working' of the elevated trains during the rush hours by pickpockets. This form of robbery is being developed into a science. It can be carried on too easily. No one can tell in one of these elevated crushes whether another man's hands are in his pockets or not. His whole person is pushed and pounded. The ease and security with which this pocket picking may be carried on is a demoralizing influence. Young men who are on the borders of the criminal domain may easily be carried over the line by it.

"These things and others like them put a fresh note of agony into the cry of the jammed, buffeted, scandalized and robbed people of New York.—'How long, O Lord, how long!'"

MR. GOMPERS PROTESTS.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has sent a telegram to the Chief of Police of Tampa, Fla., in which he says:

"In the name of organized labor, as well as every liberty-loving citizen, I demand full protection to our organizers, James Wood and James A. Roberts, and others whose lives have been threatened. These men I know to be law-abiding citizens who would not be guilty of an unlawful act. They have a right to organize working men, and if necessary to defend their rights, to strike for the enforcement of them, if no other means of redress is afforded. The kidnaping and making away with a number of Tampa workmen less than two years ago, warrants the belief that the present threat is serious an emanates from a capitalistic organized banditti."

Mr. Gompers is undoubtedly right in demanding protection for the "organizers" referred to. So long as they do not violate the law, these men have an undeniable right to remain in Tampa, and to organize such workmen as are willing to be organized. The workmen, whether organized or not, have an undisputed right to quit work, individually or in a body, if the employment in which they are engaged is not to their liking. Walking delegates, jawsmiths, business agents, organizers, and others of their ilk, are entitled to the full protection of the law when they behave themselves, as are all other citizens.

The noticeable thing about this matter is the celerity with which Mr. Gompers invokes the law's protection when threats are made against members of the organization of which he is the head. That organization has dealt more or less freely in the commodity of violence for many years past. Its members have not only threatened violence and death, in many instances, to those who have incurred their displeasure, but they have made good the threats on many and divers occasions which it is not worth while to enumerate here.

Evidently, in the opinion of Mr. Gompers, it is all right for federated unionists to employ violence, to make threats to kill, and even to carry those threats into execution when they see fit. But when threats are made against unionists—ah, that is a horse of another color. Then it is time to sound the hewgag and beat the tom-tom and demand protection in a loud and raucous tone of voice.

The fact that it makes all the difference in the world whose ox is gored, thus again receives exemplification.

Unionists have killed and maimed and mauled and robbed non-unionists; have blown up their homes with dynamite; have ostracized and insulted women and children; and have committed all sorts of atrocious sins against "law-abiding citizens, who would not be guilty of an unlawful act," and whose only offense was that they insisted upon their right to earn an honest living by honest work. When these wronged and outraged citizens have appealed for the law's protection, unionists have raised a great hue-and-cry about "oppression" of workingmen by "minions of the law," and have, in unnumbered instances, assaulted—and even killed—officers of the law sent to protect them.

Mr. Gompers and his followers have demonstrated, over and over again, that if they had control of the administration of law there would be no such thing as justice or protection for persons not belonging to their organization. The frantic appeal to the Chief of Police of Tampa is therefore a rather grotesque manifestation of inconsistency, to say the least.

The wreck of the lamented battleship Maine will doubtless remain for many a long day in its position in the harbor of Havana as a striking monument to the memory of American heroes. To lift the melancholy ruin would doubtless be to stir up animosities between Spain and the United States that might as well be left to die out. Spain has had her punishment, and it was drastic to a degree. The gallant men who died when the brave vessel sunk in the ooze in front of Havana cannot be brought to life by resurrecting the twisted iron that once was a beautiful ship of war, and there is little reason to believe that such resurrection would prove anything worth while. The incident is closed, and is likely to remain thus until the judgment day.

The Western Passenger Association is still struggling with the intricacies of the Elkins law and wondering, probably, which of its members will be the first to be escorted to jail for fracturing some of its provisions. Mr. Elkins, when he presents a law for the people to respect, should furnish diagrams, plans, specifications, profiles, lithographs, photographs or other illuminated documents in order that the liberties of the people who run railroads may be preserved and the peace of the land properly maintained.

The asphalt trust seems to have got its foot in it—in the way of liabilities—to the amount of more than a million and a half dollars. Another big flywheel "busted."

A NEGRO INVASION.

Residents of Southern California who express active sympathy for the colored man may soon have a chance of putting their theory into practice. Encouraged by cheap colonist rates and good reports received from friends here, thousands of negroes are pouring into Southern California from the Southern States. A traveling passenger agent is quoted as stating that fifteen thousand negroes will come into this section before the middle of June. That number, added to those already here, would make about 6 per cent. of the present population. Already the planters of the South are beginning to complain about a shortage of help, and are trying to get peons from Mexico to work in the cotton fields. Judging from our experience, the planters are not likely to be satisfied with the change.

There is certainly plenty of room in California for industrious colored men in our orchards and beet fields. The harvest is truly plentiful, but the laborers are few. Last season thousands of tons of fruit went to waste because men could not be found to gather it, and a dispatch from Tehama county announces, as one result of the scarcity of help, that fruit trees in two large orchards near Red Bluff are being taken up and the land seeded to alfalfa.

The Londoners are complaining about the condition of the atmosphere in that underground tube which Mr. Yerkes, the Chicago editor of street railroads, has constructed for their benefit. If the air underground over there is as bad as the fog is outside the subterranean recesses there is reason to believe that the Londoners have a kick coming. But Yerkes will fix it, be sure of that. The Yankee is a master when it comes to the surmounting of obstacles.

Mr. Goulder, who is Tom Johnson's antagonist in the Cleveland Mayoralty contest, shows a tendency to decline a proposition for joint debate with the three-cent-fare man who has several bees buzzing in his Easter bonnet. Mr. Goulder is wise. There are few men who could successfully stand up against blasts of hot air and the buzzing of a swarm of bees acting in close conjunction.

Paris appears to be having something of a carnival, but just you wait until Los Angeles turns her electrical floats and flower-bedecked carriages and automobiles down the glittering and banner-hung highways of this ancient and altogether honorable pueblo, next May, if you want to witness pageantry that is the real thing on wheels.

The Senate having finished the business it was extra-sessioned to do is to be congratulated. As usual the Republicans come out of the chamber with flying colors and the Democrats have made their regulation number of bad breaks, according to the nature of the critters.

Lucky is the Governor who can discover a constitutional reason for vetoing a measure that he has no use for, in his own mind. Gov. Brodie of Arizona is well up at the front of the fortunate class—and female suffrage in the sun-kissed Territory is a thing that isn't.

They are settling the water supply in Omaha with alum; but that beats Chicago river water. That aqua roilyrino has to be settled with a club, if at all.

Blessed is the man, or woman, who has nothing, for the porch-climber doesn't interest him, or her, any more than does a last year's birds's nest.

An Espee dividend ought certainly to look good to those foreign shareholders who need the money and have been waiting for it for "quite a spell."

Gov. Brodie will now hear a few remarks from the ladies, pro and con.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

De Lussan's Second.

Zelie de Lussan, mezzo-soprano, and Angelo Fronani, pianist, gave a second concert at Simpson Auditorium last night, and duplicated their success of last week. Mlle. De Lussan was radiant and charming as ever, though not in quite such good voice as on her first appearance. She was especially enjoyable in "Lili" (Guetary,) "J'avais Reve" (Lassen,) "My Lovely Celia" (Lane Wilson,) "Styrienne" (Thomas,) "Le Cygne" (Grieg,) and the merry encores she is so lavish with. Her "La Paloma" and "Carmen" airs are a joy unspeakable. They make one hungry for more. Fronani's work is artistic throughout. His tone is limpid and singing in quality, and his technique most excellent. He contributed two encores. The programme was as follows: "The Magic of Thy Voice" (Helmund,) "Chanson Legree" (Erlanger,) "Marguerite" (Macfarland,) "Styrienne" (Thomas,) Mlle. De Lussan; "Le Cygne" (Grieg,) "Primevera" (Grieg,) "Since We Parted" (Allitsen,) "Love Is a Bubble" (Allitsen,) Mlle. De Lussan; intermezzo (Brahms,) Angelo Fronani; "My Lovely Celia" (old English) (Lane Wilson,) "J'avais Reve" (Lassen,) "Lili" (Guetary,) Mlle. De Lussan; "Voi che Sapete" (Mozart,) Mlle. De Lussan; "Oisillon" (Grieg,) "Troldtog" (Grieg,) Angelo Fronani; "Seguidilla" ("Carmen") (Bizet,) "Tarantella" ("Carmen") (Bizet,) "Habanera" ("Carmen") (Bizet,) Mlle. De Lussan.

The programmes were printed in a new musical magazine called Musical Critic, which Raymond Wolfssohn has made arrangements to publish in connection with L. Behymer's attractions.

The next musical event of deep import will be Mark Hambourg, the noted young Russian pianist, in two piano recitals at Simpson Auditorium, March 24 and 25. Hambourg is one of the greatest living pianists and comes to us after a season of immense success in London and the East.

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Symphony Orchestra.

Yesterday afternoon at the Los Angeles Theater the Symphony Orchestra gave the seventh concert of this season. The programme was as follows:

"Grand Polonaise" (M. F. Mason,) orchestra; two songs (a) "Mondnacht" (A Summer Night,) (Schumann,) (b) "Rosenzeit" (Spring's Awakening,) (Frans Abt.) Mary Belle Daily; Indian Suite, "Legende," "Love Song," "Village Festival," (MacDowell,) orchestra; "Serenade" (Volkmann,) orchestra and Herr Opid; Third Symphony (Erotica) (Beethoven,) orchestra.

The numbers were all satisfactorily rendered, and received with enthusiasm by the large audience present. The next concert will be the last of the orchestral series for this season.

IN HURRY TO LAY TRACKS.

Los Angeles Railway Company at Its Old Tricks.

Tries to Seize Crossings Under Cover of Darkness.

Attempt to Move its Southern Outposts Without the Consent of City Council.

The Los Angeles Railway Company attempted to extend its outposts to the southward at four different points last night without so much as saying "By your leave" to the City Fathers.

"If you see what you want, grab it, and ask for it afterwards," seems to be the motto of this enterprising corporation. At least, the people have become accustomed to seeing it grab the public streets whenever it siuts its purpose, without first getting permission from the city authorities. But the attempted grab last night was a fizzle.

The four points of attack were Jefferson and Main streets and the terminals of the Maple-avenue and the San Pedro-street trolley lines at the Southern Pacific track that cuts through the Sixth Ward, and the terminus of the Central-avenue line at the Santa Fé track on Slauson avenue. At each of these points men and materials were unloaded, under cover of darkness, to extend the trolley tracks across the Southern Pacific track and right of way. But for some mysterious reason the attempt was abandoned before anything except the tearing up of the asphalt at Jefferson and Main streets was accomplished.

The country south of the Southern Pacific track in the Sixth Ward is settling up rapidly and the extension of the car lines on Main street, Maple avenue and San Pedro street will be welcomed if gone about and accomplished in a lawful manner. But the Los Angeles Railway Company has not yet obtained any francnise for the extension of these lines. It has made application for such francnises, and it evidently feels so sure that the franchises will be granted, that it has attempted to go ahead without waiting for the City Council to act on the application.

What the company has gained by last night's fluke remains to be seen. For one thing, it has aroused the citizens living in the vicinity of Main and Jefferson streets. There is objection to the construction of a double-track street-car line on Main street south of Jefferson, before the street is widened. At present Main street is very narrow between Jefferson street and Moneta avenue, and it appears to be the judgment of most of the property holders in that section that the street should be widened before any car tracks are laid upon it. It is almost the only outlet for teams to the country south of the city, and traffic over it is very heavy.

There was surprise and indignation last night, when a band of cholos in charge of two foremen, arrived at Jefferson and Main streets with wagon-loads of rails and ties, which they unloaded and then proceeded to tear up the asphalt, in order to put in a double-track crossing over the Southern Pacific Railroad. A crowd of citizens soon collected at the spot and remonstrated with the workmen, but to no purpose. Among the number was J. W. Nance, a prominent real estate operator, who lives on Thirty-sixth street, near Main. He asked one of the foremen, if he had a permit to tear up the street, but the haughty railroad man refused to be catechised by a citizen. Mr. Nance called up the Police Station by telephone, and demanded that a stop be put to the high-handed proceedings.

Meanwhile Patrolman Carpenter had arrived at the scene, and asked the foreman if he had a permit to tear up the pavement and put in a crossing there. The answer was that he had not, but he presumed the superintendent of the street railway company had a permit and knew what he was doing when he ordered the men there to do the work. Officer Carpenter said he would see about that, and went to a telephone to report the matter to the Police Station and ask for instructions.

Mayor Snyder and City Attorney Mathews were communicated with by the station officials, but they did not advise the police to take any action. Sergt. Jeffries and Patrolman McCauley joined Officer Carpenter at the scene of action, but before they arrived the cholos had received orders from some mysterious source to cease operations. Under the instructions of the foremen the workmen replaced the asphalt which had been taken up for a distance of about a rod on each side of the Southern Pacific track, and smoothed it down, so that teams could drive over it, but the street was left in bad condition. While the men were working, several teams came along and had difficulty in getting across the railroad track. The crossing will be an exceedingly dangerous one, if the street railway is allowed to carry out its plans before Main street is widened at this point.

The Mexicans who were employed in tearing up the Main-street asphalt did not work more than an hour before they were called off. After work was stopped they drew off to one side and smoked and ate their lunch. The gangs which had begun work at the Maple-avenue and the San Pedro-street crossings of the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fé crossing on Central avenue were called off about the same time as those on Main street, before they had done any material damage.

The idle workmen loafed around till about midnight, when they loaded up the material they had brought with them and returned up town to the yards of the company.

All efforts to find out why the work was stopped so suddenly proved in vain. The head foreman in charge of the Main-street gang, when questioned by a Times reporter, said:

"We began the work because we had orders to do so, and we quit for the same reason. I don't know who gave the orders, as I have been in the employ of the company only a few days and don't know the names of the bosses. No, I don't know the name of the company I am working for, but I guess it is the Los Angeles Street Railway Company."

A few excited citizens and a few policemen remained on watch until the railroad forces withdrew. J. W. Nance probably voiced the sentiments of the neighborhood when he said:

"I am as much in favor of the extension of these street-car lines as any one. I think the street railways go a long way toward the upbuilding of the city, and I believe in treating them liberally in the matter of franchises, but I do object to this high-handed way of tearing up the streets without permission by Mr. Huntington or any one else. It is an outrage to try to build a double-track car line on a street so narrow and congested with vehicles as Main street south of Jefferson. No franchise for a street railway on that part of Main street should be granted until the street is made as wide as it is above Jefferson street. This can be done at small cost and the property holders will heartily join in making the improvement. If the street-railway company wants to lay tracks on this street, let it go about it in a lawful and decent manner. Such a surreptitious trick as that attempted tonight is an outrage and the people will not stand for it."

THE PLAYHOUSES.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. "Strathmore" was repeated at the Los Angeles Theater last evening, before an audience of good size, by Virginia Drew Trescott and company. This play will receive its last presentation during the present engagement at the matinée this afternoon. Tonight and tomorrow night the company will present Tolstoy's famous "Resurrection," in which Miss Trescott has a role which is said to be one of her strongest impersonations.

Long ago the public accepted Charles B. Hanford, who will appear at the Los Angeles Theater next week in "The Taming of the Shrew" and "Much Ado About Nothing," as one of the few actors who worthily maintain the best traditions of the American stage. The sale of seats is now on for this engagement.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and Saturday matinée "The Taming of the Shrew" will be given; and Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings "Much Ado About Nothing."

RIVERSIDE HONORS H. E. HUNTINGTON.

BANQUET LAST NIGHT ATTENDED BY PROMINENT MEN.

Railroad, Hotel and Business Men from All Over State Among Chamber of Commerce Guests—"Grandpa" Davis Suddenly Stricken by Death.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, March 20.—H. E. Huntington, who is one of the foremost factors in the upbuilding of Southern California, arrived in Riverside today, and tonight was handsomely entertained under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Huntington came in his private car on the evening train, and was the guest of honor at a theater party at the Loring. The other guests were J. Ross Clark, Ferd K. Rule, Maj. J. W. F. Diss, Homer Laughlin, F. W. Braun, Charles H. Toll, Frank Miggins, H. Hawgood, W. E. Dunn, Dr. Walter Lindley, F. O. Johnson, A. C. Bilicke, A. B. Cass, Gen. M. H. Sherman, Los Angeles; Walter Raymond, Thomas Pasco, Pasadena; H. T. Hays and A. S. White, Riverside. An elaborate banquet was served at the Glenwood after the "Kilties'" performance.

Among the invited guests from outside cities, other than those above named, most of whom were present, were: Epes Randolph, J. A. Muir, George W. Pillsbury, W. G. Kerckhoff, Arthur B. Benton, R. H. Ingram, G. T. Parkyns, M. M. Potter, Gen. E. P. Johnston, W. G. Hutchinson, Dr. L. S. Thorpe, A. B. Cass, W. G. Hunt, G. S. Holmes, J. A. Gibson, Walter J. Trask, J. W. Johnson, A. C. Denman, R. H. Dyer, Dr. J. R. Haynes, W. W. Wilcox, J. C. Stubbs, Maj. Frank C. Prescott, Paul Smith, Henry Fisher, M. D. Painter and E. O. McCormick.

The banquet was the most elaborate and brilliant affair of the kind in local history. There were over one hundred and fifty guests. The dining hall was beautifully decorated, and the appointments were perfect.

It was after 10 o'clock when the function opened with prayer by Dr. W. F. Taylor.

George Frost was toastmaster. The first speaker was Rev. E. F. Goff, who toasted "Our Guest." Mr. Huntington made a brief and graceful acknowledgment, and W. E. Dunn of Los Angeles, on behalf of Mr. Huntington, made a happy response. "Riverside" was treated by Charles M. Loring.

H. T. Hays, president of the Riverside Chamber of Commerce, then spoke on "Electric Railroads," addressing his remarks principally to Mr. Huntington. In the middle of his speech he said he begged to remind Mr. Huntington that there is one road over which he has no control. At that instant there dropped from the ceiling a miniature street car, made of violets which fell on and about the head of the guest of honor, causing a pleasant surprise. The pretty trick was cleverly done and thoroughly appreciated.

Dr. Walter Lindley spoke of "California's Mission Hotel," and Maj. F. C. Prescott of Redlands toasted "Our Neighbors."

A fine orchestral programme was rendered during the evening, and a very elaborate menu served.

It was after 2 o'clock when the banquet broke up.

AGED MAN FOUND DEAD.

"Grandpa" Davis, well known about town, was found dead last night in the small office building in Frank Strunk's lumber yard. Davis was 82 years old, and death came suddenly, when he was far from home and friends. The corpse was in a sitting position in front of one of the office desks, with a knife in one hand and a piece of bread and cheese in the other, indicating that he was eating his meager supper, when stricken down. The Coroner decided that there was no reason to believe that the old man had died from unnatural causes, and that it would be unnecessary to hold an inquest. It is thought Davis has relatives living in Chicago. He had lived in Riverside for several years, and spent some time in the County Hospital, but said he would rather be independent, and got work with Strunk, taking orders in the daytime and sleeping at night in the little back room of the lumber yard office building.

FIRST ANNIVERSARY.

Mrs. L. A. Boyer entertained a large company of friends yesterday afternoon at her home on Lemon street, on the occasion of her first wedding anniversary. The hostess was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. C. Quinn. The house was handsomely decorated, and elaborate refreshments were served.

Editor's Hard Lines.

If the editor makes a mistake he has to apologize for it, but if the doctor makes one he buries it. If we make one there is lawsuit, swearing and a smell of sulpaur, but if the doctor makes one there is a funeral, cut flowers and a smell of varnish. The doctors can use a word a yard long without knowing what it means, but if the editor uses it he has to spell it. If the doctor goes to see another man's wife, he charges for the visit, but if the editor goes to see another man's wife, he gets a charge of buckshot. Any medical college can make a doctor. You can't make an editor. He has to be born. When a doctor gets drunk its a case of "overcome by the heat," when editors, it is heart trouble. When a editor gets drunk, it's much booze, and if he has the of delirium tremens.

INSOLENT UNIONISTS LOCKED OUT OF JOBS.

LIKE FIGHT FOR REINSTATEMENT OF DRUNKEN MEMBER.

Jepsen and Son Close Doors Against Twenty-Five Leather Workers Who Attempt to Usurp Functions of Employers—Strong Ultimatum.

Union labor's arrogance paid its price yesterday in the loss of positions by twenty-five union leather workers who attempted to take the reins from the hands of their employers.

Hans J. Jepsen & Son, manufacturers of leather goods at No. 116 South Main street, discharged one of their men a week ago for drunkenness and incompetency. the Leather Workers' Union, of which the discharged man is a member, considered themselves aggrieved. The grievance reached a climax yesterday when a demand was made on the proprietors of the shop for reinstatement of the boozer.

Not only was the demand promptly refused, but notice was served on the union breeders that they could take their tools and go, and stand not on the order of their going.

The man had been in the employ of the firm for a number of years, and was a man who had proved himself worthy of a position in the shop. He was only drank liquor to excess, but was thoroughly unreliable. After receiving his salary on Saturday night he would go on a drunk, sometimes appearing for work on the following Monday morning and often not until the middle of the week. He was a member of the union and felt secure in his position through the support of his fellow-members. Mild reproof had no effect on him, and so he was discharged.

The union took up his case and insisted that he be reemployed, and upon the refusal of Jepsen & Son to heed their demands the organization resorted to the usual tactics.

Beginning with the ever-increasing power of the union and determined to run their own business in their own way, Jepsen & Son yesterday took the bull by the horns and forced the issue. At 7:30 o'clock, shortly after the men had reported for work, the whistle was rung and the workmen were notified that their services were no longer desired. Each man was told to take his tools with him and also given what wages were due.

The dismissal was accompanied by a warning that the men might return to work when they would agree to the rules and regulations of the proprietors.

"We are determined to run our own business according to our own methods," said J. Jepsen last night. "We claim the right to employ and discharge such men as we please and we stand for no further foolishness. The Leather Workers' Union. If they see fit to return to work Monday morning on our terms we will give them employment; if not, we shall hire men, and what is more, they will be kept busy. We are in a position to meet our ultimatum and have absolutely no fear as to the outcome. The men from the union waited on us today in an effort to obtain a settlement, but in each case they were informed to accept our terms and come to work treat with them."

FOR OXNARD

The Knights of Columbus and the Eastern Knights Tomorrow Night.

Council at the Sugar City.

Fifty members of Los Angeles Council, Knights of Columbus, and a number of visiting Knights from other cities will make a pilgrimage to Oxnard tomorrow for the purpose of instituting a council.

The initiating officer will be Territorial Deputy Supreme Knight Joseph A. Donnelly, and the degrees will be conferred by a team from the Los Angeles Council.

The members in a body will attend the 10 o'clock mass tomorrow morning at St. Vibiana's Cathedral, and then go to the Arcade Station to take the 2:50 train for Oxnard. Autos will be taken on the train. The local arrangements are in charge of a committee, composed of Thomas R. Maloney, Martin C. Marsh, Frank Wood and W. L. le Sage.

The company will arrive at Oxnard at 5 o'clock, and will be placed in charge of a citizens' committee, composed of J. S. Laubacher, Charles H. Pettit and James Carson. The work of instituting the new council will begin at 1 o'clock, and the degrees will be given to the candidates. At its close a banquet will be tendered the visitors, after which they will return by special train to Los Angeles, leaving Oxnard at 9 o'clock.

PERSONAL.

Yoshi, a silk merchant of Yokohama, is at the Angelus.

Hoover, a Chicago railroad director, is staying at the Angelus.

Mrs. Rutledge are registered at the Minister from Dawson, Y. T. Macy, the mining man, returned today from a six weeks' trip abroad.

Russell, owner of large interests in Wyoming, is at the

Ray L. McCoy and Miss McPittsburgh, Pa., are guests of the

Struthers and Miss of New York are registered at the

Bernstein, manager of the Company, is registered at the from Elgin, Ill.

LeWoods of New York, Charles LeWoods of is staying at the West-

Gooderham, Miss Gooderham Gooderham are a party of registered at the

of Cleveland people staying Hays are Mr. and Mrs. A. Miss Marie de Forrest, de Forrest and Mrs. S. E.

Mrs. J. M. Studebaker and J. M. Studebaker, Jr., at the Westminster from Ind. Mr. Studebaker, Sr., wagon manufacturer.

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Thomas Murray Dewey and wife, David A. Montagnon, C. H. G. Strong, New York; Mrs. McCoy, Miss McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wolf, Philadelphia; Clinton L. Baltimore; Mr. and Mrs. Marie DeForest, Mrs. E. E. West, Cleveland, and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Law and wife, Chicago; Worcester, Mass.; H. Mowbray, J. A. Monroe, Omaha; Miss Bingham, Miss Gomes, Can.; Mrs. W. A. Detroit; Horace M. Mile. Zulie de Lussan, London; Eng.; Angelo Frost, C. T. B. Ryan, St. Louis; Zimmerman, St. Wetherill, Cape Vincent, E. Bolin, N. H.; Wm. G. J. Becht, J. Jones, C. Clifford, Langtry, James D. Miss Lily Duncan, Joseph, Mo.; Mrs. Tyler, C. Palmer, Pittsburgh, Dawson; A. A. Van Vorhies, R. J. Van Vorhies, Chicago; James Struther, Miss Struther, New York; F. W. Alston, Chicago; Miss Helen L. Woods, Charles M. Woods, New York; W. Faist and wife, Charles E. Heindent, Mrs. J. H. Bobon, Milwaukee, Wis.; C. H. Gooderham and wife, Miss Gooderham, J. H. Gooderham, Toronto, Can.; E. P. Clark, G. M. Jones and wife, T. H. Hewitt, wife and son, New York; L. M. Fletcher, San Francisco; J. M. Studebaker and wife, J. M. Studebaker, Jr., and wife, son and nurse, South Bend, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Warren, Marlborough, Mass.; E. J. Davis and wife, Detroit, Mich.; L. W. Moore and wife, San Francisco; M. A. Greenwood, L. H. Briggs and wife, Denver, Colo.; J. B. Fisher and wife, Mrs. F. E. Eisenberg, R. F. Fisher, Jamestown, N. Y.; W. L. Stevens, Providence, R. I.; R. W. Rhoades, New York City; Mrs. Lucy Purdan, Cincinnati, O.; J. W. Kauffman and wife, Miss Kauffman, St. Louis, Mo.; Miss M. Simonds, E. I. Martin, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. D. Johnson, wife and child, New York; Mrs. M. A. Dutan, Kansas City; C. L. Crawford and wife, Baltimore, Md.; W. L. Herr and wife, Peoria, Ill.; L. M. Colfelt, Jr., and wife, New York.

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THE WEATHER.

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	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	72	48	60	New York	56	50	53
Washington	64	54	59	Buffalo	70	60	65
Pittsburgh	76	60	68	Cincinnati	76	62	69
Chicago	74	50	62	St. Paul	42	28	35
St. Louis	76	40	63	Kansas City	56	24	40
Los Angeles	68	52	60	Jacksonville	76	64	70

*The maximum is for March 19; the minimum for March 20. The mean is the aevrage temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, March 20.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.08; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 55 deg. and 66 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 35 per cent.; 5 p.m., 36 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 2 miles; 5 p.m., northwest, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The pressure continues high west of the Missouri River, except in the extreme Southwest, where it is lower. Fair, cold weather prevails from the Rocky Mountains eastward. Zero temperature is reported from Wyoming and Dakota. Cold weather continues on the North Pacific Slope, with frost. It is warmer, with considerable coast cloudiness, in the southern portion. There are signs of a depression off the Southern California coast.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Saturday, though with some cloudiness.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure has fallen rapidly over the Rocky Mountain region. An area of high pressure overlies Nevada and Utah. Cloudy weather prevails over California, but as yet there are no indications of the approach of a disturbance on the Pacific Ocean. The temperature has risen slowly over the entire coast. In the great valley of California the temperatures are 5 deg. above the normal. Forecast:

For Northern California: Cloudy, unsettled weather Saturday; probaly showers on the northern coast; fresh southerly winds.

Southern California: Cloudy Saturday; light northerly winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Saturday; possibly light showers by night; fresh southeast winds.

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WANTED—MECHANICAL DRAUGHTSMAN for large manufacturing plant; applicant must be well experienced, quick and inventive; salary $100 per month; permanent position; give age, references. Address E, box 78, TIMES OFFICE. 21

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WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 125 W. NINTH. Tel. Peter 4121. Any kind of first-class help promptly furnished; house cleaning, day or hour; ranch work by contract.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU of Y.M.C.A., 616 S. Los Angeles st., supplies promptly most reliable help of all kinds. 'PHONE JAMES 4081. 25

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WANTED—NIGHT WATCHMAN; SALARY $60 per month; must have $300. SMITH & MYERS, 117 S. Broadway. 21

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WANTED—TINNER. 700 N. MAIN ST. 22

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WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; no washing, $20. Apply 1131 MAGNOLIA AVE. 22

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WANTED—GIRL OR MIDDLE-AGED WOMan to do general housework. Apply 222 W. 27TH ST. 21

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WANTED—A RELIABLE MAN WHO CAN furnish about $500 for a part interest in a good paying business; a salary or commission or both paid to right party; a rare opportunity for a man to increase his resources. Must have good references for the position is one of trust. Reason for wanting a partner, need assistance to attend to business. Address G, box 73, TIMES OFFICE. 21

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WANTED—A NEAT INEXPENSIVE ROOM, with kitchen privileges, by refined lady, permanent, walking distance; must be cheap. Address G, box 75, TIMES OFFICE. 22

WANTED — TWO ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping, at Ocean Park. Address G, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 23

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FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL NEW 6-ROOM cottage, complete, bargain. Owner, 2160 KANSAS AVE. 22

FOR SALE—MY HOUSE ON WESTLAKE ave. near Sixth st.; has been finished only six months and was built for my home. There are nine rooms, oak floors; fine bath; cement basement with furnace; everything elegant and complete; east front; large elevated lot, with fine granite retaining wall. Grounds all improved; not a finer location in the Westlake section, and all the surroundings are fine. I am obliged to sell and in order to do so quickly will sell for only $6000. Owner, no agents. Address LAWYER, G, box 45, Times office. 21

FOR SALE—WE OWN A BEAUTIFUL MODern home on a corner in W. Adams st. district, that we will sell for $5000, or exchange for modern cottage, southwest. House has 8 large rooms, hardwood floors, white enamel finish upstairs, and natural wood below. It is very cheap at $5000, but we want to sell because the place is too large for our family. It has never been offered for sale before. If you have a cottage to offer it must be first-class and in choice neighborhood. Price is no object. Address F, box 79, TIMES OFFICE. 22

FOR SALE—

A BEAUTIFUL NEW HOME CHOICELY LOCATED in the select West Adams st. district; reception hall, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and four bedrooms; an excellent and thoroughly modern home, and this is our first announcement that the price is actually cut from $4500 to $3900. This is a genuine bargain. Don't delay.

C. F. W. PALMER & CO., 406 Trust Blk. Second and Spring. 21

FOR SALE—$2700; IF YOU ARE LOOKING for a bargain in a home for little money I have it in a 10-room, front and back parlors, dining-room, library, kitchen, screen porch, set range, bath downstairs, 5 nice chambers, set bowl; upstairs; lawn, trees, flowers; a gem for the money; cars pass door; must sell at once. 165 COMMONWEALTH AVE., near Bimini Baths. 21

FOR SALE—CHEAP. A MODEL HOUSE, 5 rooms and bath, cooler and sink in pantry; beautiful finish, cove ceilings, large mantel, buffet has three large French mirrors; will leave beautiful new Axminster carpet on two floors, and matting on two, new shades, all fenced, $850 cash, balance $20, including interest. Owner, 514 E. 33D ST. 22

FOR SALE—BY OWNER—

Fine, spacious lot, with one two-story flat and cottage, on Maple ave., between Seventh and Eighth sts.; modern improvements; good paying investment; must be sold; owner leaving. Inquire of owner, rear cottage, 734 MAPLE AVE. No commission. 22

FOR SALE—WE HAVE A FINE HOUSE ON Alvarado st., on high ground, nine rooms, new and modern in every respect; house must be sold at once, price $7600; no such bargain in the city; house mortgaged $6200 which can remain. W. T. GOODHUE CO., 201 Bradbury Bldg. 22

FOR SALE—ALL CONVENIENCES, EIGHT rooms, gas, electricity, porcelain tub, two toilets, two porcelain wash tubs, cellar under entire house; instantaneous heater, steel range and boiler; 10 minutes to Fourth and Main; price $3775. Address B, box 62, TIMES OFFICE. 22

FOR SALE—$300; 6 ROOMS, $100 DOWN, $25 A month for a 6-room modern house, a few doors from Main st., between Washington and Jefferson; total price less than cash value. BULLIS-UDELL CO., 508-509 Bradbury Bldg. 22

FOR SALE—BY OWNER—

$3600—Strictly modern 6-room cottage, just completed, with hall, porcelain bath, cement walks, etc. 1044 E. 29th st.; easy installments. See OWNER, 315 Henne Bldg. 21

FOR SALE—CALIFORNIA COTTAGE OF 5 rooms on lot 50x128 in Prospect Park, Hollywood section, near Sunset boulevard for $850, $450 cash, balance monthly. EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., 121 S. Broadway. 21

FOR SALE — AT SACRIFICE ON EASY terms, $300 cash, 5-room strictly modern NEW cottage, No. 646 E. 31st st. Take San Pedro car. Owner must sell quick. ROOM 26, 112 N. MAIN. 'Phone James 6284.

FOR SALE—NO. 2164 E. 21ST ST.

Lot 50x150 to alley.
Six rooms, new and modern.
Price $2875. Price $2875.
See F. J. STEELE, 204 Currier Block.

FOR SALE—6-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, all latest improvements; porcelain bathtub, porcelain wash trays, rooms nicely tinted; cellar, cement floor, cement steps, lot 43x130; 625 W. 35TH ST., near Figueroa.

FOR SALE—WE HAVE A NEW 7-ROOM house on W. 22d st. near Hoover; built with every care, and detail; a beautiful home in every sense; must sell at once; price $3700. W. T. GOODHUE CO., 201 Bradbury. 21

FOR SALE—FIVE-ROOM, MODERN COTtage nearly new; gas, electric lights, cement walks, all in good condition, partly furnished with new furniture. Inquire of OWNER, 1352 E. 18th st. 22

FOR SALE—FINE NEW 6-ROOM COTTAGE, modern in every respect; on Kansas ave., near 30th; house is a gem; must sell; price $3600; large lot. W. T. GOODHUE CO., 201 Bradbury. 22

FOR SALE—ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A home? If so, see this. 3312 S. Grand ave., 9 large rooms, modern; gas, electricity, porcelain bath, barn, etc. See OWNER at house. 22

FOR SALE—HAVE YOU $10,000 OR $15,000 TO invest in near-by property, at 14 per cent. net? We have the proposition for you. See NORCROSS, with Sexton Bros., 108 S. Broadway. 23

FOR SALE—$3600—

Modern, up-to-date, 7-room cottage, furnished complete, and a corner near 10th st. on Figueroa. DAVIS & CO., 452 S. Spring. 22

FOR SALE—SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS!

4-room cottage, Mateo st. near Seventh st., lot 40x140; alley; car passes the door; price $1300. WERNER & CO., 230 W. Fifth st. 21

FOR SALE—$2200; EASY TERMS, A NEW, WELL-BUILT, FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN CONVENIENCES; NO AGENTS. SEE 1342 WEST WASHINGTON ST. 27

FOR SALE—4-ROOM HOUSE, LOT 40 BY 140, $500. 5-room house, lot 60 by 160, $575, in E. L. A. Installment plan. Inquire C. E. PENDELL, room 43, Temple Block. 21

FOR SALE—5-ROOM NEW COTTAGE, ON E. 47th st., west of Central, $1400; this cottage is rented for $15 month. THOS. J. HAMPTON CO., 536 S. Broadway. 22

FOR SALE—50 FEET FRONT WITH IMprovements, near 12th between Main and Hill; a bargain at $6000. SHERWOOD & KOYER, 144 S. Broadway. 22

FOR SALE— I HAVE A PROPERTY THAT is renting for $50 per month, that $3550 will buy, if sold this week. Address D, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 21

FOR SALE—TWO HOUSES ON ONE LOT, 5 and 7 rooms; rents $40; price $3000; reasonable terms. 'Phone Jefferson 5839. 907 E. NINTH. 22

FOR SALE—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE, IN LOS Angeles, with modern conveniences. S. P. MULFORD, Trust Bldg., owner.

FOR SALE—FIVE-ROOM HOUSE FOR $120. For particulars inquire at 1577 W. 22ND ST.

FOR SALE—A SNAP IN COTTAGE IN Highland Park. WREN, 224 W. Ave. 52.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, 1822 SACRAMENTO ST., terms reasonable. 22

FOR SALE—$1700; A NEW COTTAGE, 1128 E. 11TH ST. 22

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

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KINNEY HEIGHTS.

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The company has only a few lots left and tells me to sell them, as they are about to put another tract on the market.

50-FOOT LOTS, $500 TO $700.

BUILDING RESTRICTIONS.

These lots will sell for $1000 each in a few months.

Only a few left, so act quick if you want a bargain.

PERCY H. CLARK, Agent, 224 Byrne Building.

FOR SALE—BY W. H. ALLEN & SON—

Bargains in Vacant Lots.

WESTLAVE AVE. and Ocean View, 60x160 feet; double, clean corner, east frontage. We have two offers very near the price. We can deliver this lot for $4000, but you must act at once.

W. 27TH ST., near Hoover st., 71x150 feet finest lot in the southwest; will loan $2000 on this lot at 6 per cent.; price for a few days only $2500.

WEST 10TH STREET in the Westlake district, a beautiful high lot, 100x135, south frontage; very cheap, $3500.

ROMEO ST., near Adams st., east frontage, 50x145 feet, way below the market, $1150.

32ND STREET near Main st., 50x135 feet, a snap, $750.

21 W. H. ALLEN & SON, 216 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—

CHOICE BUILDING LOTS, $250.

160 best lots in the city, directly on electric line; 10 minutes' ride to business center; not only a cheap home site, but a good investment; easy payments. See W. S. NEVIN, 320-322 Laughlin Blk.

FOR SALE—

Lot near Echo Park, $250.
Lot near Hollenbeck Park, $350.
Lot near Sunset boulevard, $400.
Lot near 33d and Central, $550.
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FOR SALE—

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—FINELY LOCATED LOTS—
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AT INTERESTING FIGURES.
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If you want a fine residence lot for a home or for an investment, it will pay you to see us before you buy. We have the agency for many of the finest lots for sale in Los Angeles, and we have them at fair prices. Whatever you want in real estate, you'll find that the best buys are listed with Althouse Bros.

$800—W. 21st st., 50x147; a bargain.
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$1000—W. 25th; a good location, 50x130.
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$1250—W. 8th, high and sightly, 50x135.
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$1300—W. 17th, near Cherry; good location.
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$1750—Boylston near Arnold, 50x116.
$1750—Elden ave. near 11th, 60x140.
$1800—Cor. on Boylston near 3d, 50x140.
$1900—W. 4th near Bixel, 54x150.
$2000—Boylston near Arnold, east front.
$2100—Georgia st. close in, 50x125.
$2250—Adams near Vermont, 50x135.
$2250—Maryland near Boylston, 58x150.
$2300—Georgia near 9th, lot 50x150.
$2500—Hope, near 4th, large lot, 60x145.
$2500—W. 8th, close in, large lot, 50x127.
$2500—W. 9th, fine lot, close in.
$2500—Adams near Vermont, 50x125.
$2750—W. 28th, near Figueroa, 65x157.
$2750—Half block from 7th and Figueroa.
$2800—Half block from 8th and Figueroa.
$2900—W. 9th, near Whittier, 51x135 feet.
$3000—Alvarado, near 10th, 50x150, alley.
$3000—W. 10th, close in, for flats, 55x140.
$3000—Block from 10th and Figueroa, 50x150.
$3000—Westlake ave. near 8th, 50x150.
$3000—Bonnie Brae near 10th, 50x150.
$3000—West side Westlake ave., 62½x150.
$3000—Adams near Vermont, 70x150.
$3000—Bonnie Brae near 8th, 50x150.
$3000—Half block of Hill and 14th, 50x120.
$3100—Bonnie Brae near 10th, 50x150.
$3250—Alvarado near 9th, 50x150, alley.
$3500—Westlake ave. near 9th, 50x150.
$3500—W. 8th, half block from Figueroa.
$3500—Westlake ave. near 8th, 50x150.
$3500—S. Flower near 10th, 54x165.
$3750—Burlington, near 7th, 50x150.
$3750—Fine corner on Lake, near 8th.
$3750—Westlake ave., elegant lot, 75x178.
$4000—Burlington near 7th, 50x150.
$4000—W. 9th, a 5-room house, 54x155.
$4000—Union, near 9th, west side, 50x150.
$4250—N.W. cor. Budlong and Adams, 70x165.
$4500—Denver near 9th, 2 houses, 75x120.
$4750—W. 7th, with house; close in, 60x110.
$5000—Westlake near 9th, 60x150, alley.
$5000—Close in, cor. on Grand, 60x100.
$5500—W. 7th st., cor., close in, 50x120.
$5500—Adams near Vermont, 120x160.
$5500—N.W. cor. 11th and Beacon, 89x155.
$5500—Cor. Ingraham and Witmer, 79x150.
$6000—Bonnie Brae, fine location, 100x150.
$6200—Corner on W. 7th, close in, 60x110.
$6500—Hope near 9th, 50x157, fine location.
$6750—San Pedro near 6th, 80x120.
$7000—Fifth and Maryland, 200x65.
$7000—Corner on W. 7th, 103x90.
$7200—Flower near 7th, with house, 50x155.
$7200—Fine cor. on W. 21st st., 250x147.
$7200—Cor. 8th and Bonnie Brae, 100x150.
$7500—Westlake near 9th, cor., 100x150.
$7500—Grand ave. near 10th, 50x157.
$8000—Cor. Bonnie Brae and 8th, 93½x150.
$8500—Cor. 10th and Union, 200x150.
$8750—Figueroa near 11th, unimproved, 50x200.
$9000—S.E. cor. Westlake and 9th, 100x150.
$9500—S.E. cor. Bonnie Brae and 9th, 100x150.
$10,000—W. 7th, fine lot, 120x115.
$11,200—Close in on W. 7th, 112x130.
$12,000—Cor. W. 6th and Westlake, 150x171.
$12,000—Close-in cor. on W. 7th, 105x141.
$12,500—Cor. S. Flower, close in, 100x120.

ALTHOUSE BROS.

'PHONE MAIN 263. 21

FOR SALE—

—OPPORTUNITY—

In the current number of "Success," appears the following: "'Men of age,' said Bacon, 'object too much, consult too long, adventure too little, repent too soon, and seldom drive business home to the full period, but content themselves with a mediocrity of success.' If this be the sign manual of age, then there are many young people, even in this 'look alive' century, who are older than their fathers. There are thousands of young men today who REMAIN ON THE FENCE, halting between two opinions, hesitating as to whether they should do this or that, until AN OPPORTUNITY THAT MIGHT HAVE SETTLED THE PROBLEM HAS GONE BY. THEN THEY WASTE THEIR TIME AND ENERGY IN LOOKING AFTER THE LOST OPPORTUNITY AND REGRET IN VAIN THAT THEY DID NOT SEIZE IT.

"They concentrate their attention so exclusively on the thing that has passed forever out of their reach, that THEY DO NOT SEE THE NEXT OPPORTUNITY WHEN IT PRESENTS ITSELF.

"The man who can seize promptly and firmly an opportunity as it passes, and never let it go, until he wrings from it every possibility, is the achiever. HE IS THE MAN WHO DOES THINGS."

ARE YOU ON THE FENCE? Are you one of the "old" young men who are neglecting present opportunities in Los Angeles real estate? Are you not satisfied with the judgment of such a man as Russell Sage when he advises all young men to invest their savings in real estate?

Are you not satisfied in the future of your own city when you consider the enormous investments of Huntington, the Hellmans and other large financiers, and the millions of dollars being invested in public and private improvements?

ARE YOU LOOKING AFTER A LOST OPPORTUNITY?

Are you blinded by the investment you might have made a few years ago, and the large profit that would have resulted therefrom?

How many men do you know who can tell you at what a low price they could have bought property during the past? Remember, there is no profit for you in what you could have bought. The man who DID is the man who profited.

BE NOT BLINDED BY THE LOST OPPORTUNITY.

AVAIL YOURSELF OF THE PRESENT.

We offer you today a proposition that you cannot afford to overlook—an opportunity to buy a choice building lot in a section where everything commends; where the location is healthful; where the view is grand; where you are near to mountains and in sight of the sea; where a good car line now exists and where another is building; where you can buy a lot 50x150 to an alley, fronting on a 60-foot street, level and ready for building for only $200, within four or five blocks of where $3500 is asked for an acre lot.

SEIZE THE PRESENT OPPORTUNITY.

For $10 cash and $10 per month, until paid for, we will sell you a lot in our El Centro tract, in the Hollywood section, at prices ranging from $200 to $250 for inside lots; $50 extra for corners. You pay nothing extra for interest or taxes.

You pay $10 a month until your lot is paid for, no more, no less.

The tract is on the present electric line to Santa Monica via Colegrove.

The Traction Company is at present under contract to complete and operate a line by September 1, 1903. With this line, El Centro tract will be bounded on three sides by electric car lines.

THESE ARE THE CHEAPEST LOTS IN THE ENTIRE HOLLYWOOD SECTION.

WITH THE TRACTION LINE, THE CAR SERVICE WILL BE THE EQUAL OF ANY TRACT IN THE CITY.

TEN DOLLARS IS ALL THAT IS REQUIRED DOWN. TEN DOLLARS EACH MONTH PAYS FOR IT.

THE OPPORTUNITY IS OFFERED YOU. ARE YOU STILL BLINDED?

FREE TICKETS TO TRACT AT ANY TIME.

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EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., 23 121 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—BY MARTIN & ROCKWELL, 'PHONE JOHN 8091.

Bargain if sold this week, 5 of as fine lots as can be found in one bunch, each lot 50x150 to 15-foot alley, located on an 80-foot street, with all work done, with fine cement walk and curb and fine gravel road; also one lot on parallel street, 80 feet wide, 50x150 to alley; east front; will sell all or part of them at $700 each; these lots are in the southwest part of city and are a snap; owner wants money.

21 234 DOUGLAS BLK.

FOR SALE—

GEORGIA NEAR NINTH.
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50x150.

This fine building lot can be delivered for an exceptionally low price within the next few days. For particulars see WRIGHT & CALLENDER, SOLE AGENTS.

21 223 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—BY MARTIN & ROCKWELL, 'PHONE JOHN 8091.

A great bargain if taken at once, 6 beautiful lots, each 41 2-3x150 to 15-foot alley; an 80-foot improved street, cement sidewalk and curb, fine gravel road; will deliver, if sold in a bunch, this week at $600 per lot, $2100 cash, $1500 one year at 6 per cent.

21 234 DOUGLAS BLK.

FOR SALE—

—$5000—

75x178 to alley, on Westlake ave.; 100 feet south of Ocean View; this is one of the finest lots in Los Angeles and ought to bring $5000.

D. A. MEEKINS, 101 N. Broadway. 21

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$750—Trinity near W...
$1450—San Joaquin, fine ...
$2800—Westmoreland Place, ...
$300—Dayton Heights, ...
$1000—Vermont near 2d, ...
$750—38th near Vermont, ... neighborhood; 2-story house ...
22 CARNES & PEERY, ...

FOR SALE—AT SACRIFICE—
40x125, on Burlington near ...
100x150, on Bonnie Brae near ...
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FOR SALE— Business Property.

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THE SOUTHEAST CORNER ... WAY AND FRANKLIN ST... FINEST PLACE FOR TITLE ... OR FOR ANY SORT OF OFFICE ... ING.

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66x155, ALLEY ON TWO ... SIDE OF STREET NEAR ... PRACTICALLY 76 FEET ... CONSIDERING LIGHT, ETC. ... THE CHEAPEST LOT IN THE ... WORTH $15,000 MORE THAN ... ALSO—

THE SOUTHEAST CORNER ... AND NINTH STREETS; ... HILL BY 150 FEET ON NINTH ... (THREE COTTAGES.) THIS IS A FINE CORNER ... STORES OR HOTEL.

SEE US FOR BUSINESS ... DOWNTOWN DISTRICT. W. M. GARLAND & CO., 214 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR SALE— AT BUYER'S OWN ...

$600 per acre for about ... north 800 feet on Downey ... feet on Alhambra avenue— ... Boulevard. Walk east on ... yards from Prichard st. ... the northwest corner of the ... be magnificent site for the ... as Mr. Huntington is providing ... easterners, or for a hotel ... would cut up into 50 fine ...

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$3000—For west 20 feet ... posite Courthouse on Temple ... 90 on first floor and five ... second floor; good income ... value.

These are bargains—... if you consider prices ... offer in writing for one ... and buy them at your own ... The owner wants money ... immediate sale for cash. S. K. LINDLEY, ... Grant Bldg., rooms ... Fourth and Broadway.

FOR SALE— $50,000—50x120 to 20-foot alley, ... Main near Fifth; $200 per foot ... joining property.

$50,000—Main between Second ... present improvements ... rented for 7 per cent. net ...

$60,000—S. Spring, near ... joing lot will be improved ... building; income $185 per month ...

100 feet on Los Angeles st. ... than $300 per foot. 21 E. G. ROBINSON, ...

FOR SALE—BY OWNER; ... income bearing business ... dence lots close in; fine ... city for subdivision. ... room 202, Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE — LOOK THIS UP ... corner store and flat ... ave.; rents now $110 per month ... per cent. on the investment ... CO., 220 W. Fifth st.

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FOR SALE—NEW 22-ROOM ... house, all large, light rooms ... new throughout; gas, electric ... eous heaters, best-paying ... investment; 2 blocks from ... LOMA BLANCA, 772 Main ...

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FOR SALE—A 9-ROOM ... very close in; only ... dress G, box 44, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—14-ROOM HOUSE ... bargain. No agents. ... near Hill.

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[illegible] WALNUT ORCHARD, [illegible] will exchange for Los An[illegible] S. P. MULFORD, Trust [illegible]

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FOR SALE—BEES; 36 STANDS, 8 FRAMES, hives; Hoffman frames; bees in fine shape. W. P. BULLOCK, 776 E. Washington st., city. 22

FOR SALE—BARGAIN; FURNITURE AND 6 months' lease of new 6-room modern flat; location choicest; adults. 1113 S. FIGUEROA ST. 25

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FOR SALE—FURNITURE 6-ROOM FLAT, close in, completely furnished; flat for rent. Inquire 143 W. FIFTH. 21

FOR SALE—DRY GOODS CASES, CHEAP; two for 25c, 15c each; on FRANKLIN, opposite New High st. 21

FOR SALE—BANGOR BUGGY, $50, WORTH $100 for wear, cost $225; easiest spring made. 221 N. AVENUE 66. 22

FOR SALE—WALNUT BEDSTEAD, DRESser and washstand, cheap. Apply Sunday, 542 MAPLE AVE. 22

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FOR SALE—GASOLINE ENGINE, 3-H.P., with battery; $35. 366 ALISO ST. 21

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FOR SALE—AT BAKERSFIELD, GROCERY store, stock new, doing a cash business; invoice about $3000; only reason for selling, owner's entire time needed with his oil interest. Apply to R. L. CRAIG & CO., Los Angeles.

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TO LET—2 PLEASANT ROOMS, PRIVATE, quiet home; breakfast and Sunday's meals; references exchanged; take Main st. car. 679 W. 30TH. 'Phone white 9843. 22

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NEAT CASH GROCERY, FRUIT, CIGARS, etc.; rent $16; 2 living-rooms; bargain, $525.
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FOR SALE—A LIVERY OUTFIT, NEW, barn to lease. See E. WILCUT, 902½ San Pedro st. 22

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS FOR two; housekeeping if desired. 520 S. MAIN. 21

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TO LET—THOSE MODERN, UP-TO-DATE, new, 6 and 7-room flats, 1826-1828½ South Figueroa; none better in the city; adults only; $35 and $40 per month. Keys, 1826 S. FIGUEROA. 22

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TO LET—WATCH THE DOUGLAS TERRACE 1025 W. Seventh, 6 and 7 rooms ready for occupancy April 1; they are beauties; finest in the city. 22

TO LET—NEW FIVE-ROOM MODERN FLAT, furnished; furniture for sale at bargain. Apply from 9 to 12 a.m., at 1603 W. 11TH, city. 22

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TO LET—A MODERN DOWN-TO-DATE 5-room flat, with every improvement, low rent. Apply on premises. 116 W. 30TH ST. 22

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TO LET—FURNISHED; TWO BEAUTIFUL south-front, sunny, connecting rooms, new house, new furniture, everything modern and first-class; no housekeeping; no children. Call 530 S. GRAND AVE., near Central Park. 22

TO LET—NEWLY AND NICELY FURNISHed housekeeping suite for couple, separate couple, ground floor, telephone, lawn, veranda, etc.; choice neighborhood. 1101 S. FIGUEROA. 21

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TO LET — FURNISHED ROOM, SUITABLE for one or two gentlemen; new house, all modern; private family; $10 per month. 1230 S. LOS ANGELES ST., corner 14th. 21

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED FRONT suite, sunny all day; will rent separate, 1 block from Courthouse. Call 317 CALIFORNIA ST. Telephone Black 5782. 21

TO LET—4 ROOMS, ALL MODERN, STRICTly up to date, on 8th st., near Figueroa; rent only $25. EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., 216 W. Second st. 23

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, large and sunny, with or without housekeeping privileges; use of parlor and piano. 1030 MAPLE AVE. 22

TO LET—3 VERY DESIRABLE FURNISHED rooms, arranged as a flat; gas for cooking and lighting; telephone and bath. 1374 S. FIGUEROA. 22

TO LET—ONE EXTRAORDINARY LARGE room, suitable for housekeeping and one bedroom, convenient to two car lines. 116 W. 15TH ST. 23

TO LET—SUITE, 3 LARGE ROOMS, NEWLY furnished, telephone, piano, large garden, or two rooms upstairs, single or double. 1036 S. HILL. 22

TO LET — HOW'S THIS? FURNISHED rooms from $5 month; suites for housekeeping; also unfurnished. ROCHESTER, 1012 Temple.

TO LET—AT "THE GRAND RAPIDS," 319 E. Seventh st., thoroughly renovated, furnished rooms; must be seen to be appreciated. 22

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY room in private home; convenient to all cars; housekeeping privileges. 1354 S. FIGUEROA. 23

TO LET — 2 HANDSOMELY FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, clean and sunny; no objection to children. 1535 W. EIGHTH. 21

TO LET—TWO BEAUTIFUL FRONT ROOMS, reasonable, at HOTEL ALESSANDRO, 131 S. Broadway. Gentlemen preferred. 21

TO LET—2 NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, with heat in each and breakfast served if desired. At 754 W. SEVENTH ST. 22

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS; all conveniences for housekeeping; 2 blocks west Courthouse. 236 N. OLIVE. 21

TO LET—ROOMS, NEWLY FURNISHED, absolute cleanliness, electricity. 'PHONE WHITE 7240. 921 S. OLIVE. 21

TO LET—3 OUTSIDE FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; $12; take Central-ave. car. 1415 E. 21ST ST. 22

TO LET — NICE, FURNISHED, SUNNY front room in private family; $12 month. 841 S. HOPE ST. 21

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, HOUSEkeeping privileges. 518½ S. MAIN, near Fifth, THE CARLYLE. 22

TO LET—$20 MONTH, SUNNY UNFURNISHed rooms, with bath. Apartment-house, 2821 DOWNEY AVE. 21

TO LET — CHEERY ROOMS IN STRICTLY modern home, near St. James Park. 2104 THOMPSON ST. 22

TO LET—LARGE FRONT ROOMS, UNFURnished, with cooking facilities. 1154 W. EIGHTH ST. 21

TO LET—FURNISHED; 2 FRONT SUNNY housekeeping rooms; gas, electricity. 711 W. EIGHTH. 22

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms, gas ranges. 603½ S. FIGUEROA. 21

TO LET—A SUNNY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping room; no children. 810 W. SEVENTH. 22

TO LET—SUNNY ROOMS, REASONABLE; new furnishings throughout. 621½ S. BROADWAY. 22

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Ellen B Farr to First National Bank of Pasadena, Cal, part lots 1 and 2, Nishol's subdivision, $10.

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W H Schilling and M E Schilling to Mrs Lillie L Hunnston, part lots 25 and 27, block 78, Long Beach, $2200.

William James Bell and Dora Elma Bell to Helen B Cushman, lot 13, block 2, Hamilton's subdivision, $10.

King R Olmstead and Fidelia A Olmstead to Joseph W Conrad, lots 25 and 27, block 1, V H Swarting's subdivision, $1100.

B F Allen and Kate Allen Swords to Sidney A Simons, part section 8, 1 S 9, $10.

Emma E Cook and Mrs S V Cook to Charles E Walker, lots 45 to 58, J E Packard Vineyard tract, $10.

Edward C Fruhling to Harvey Gordon McNeil, lot 119, Wicks subdivision of Garbolino, Cooper, South and Porter tracts, $1000.

Joseph Preter and Anna Clara Preter to Albert G Junge, lot 42, block R, Menlo Park, $2800.

E A Forrester, Mary C Forrester, A W Forrester and M Ella Forrester and Fred W Forrester to Broadway Bank and Trust Company, lots 21 and 22, Monterey tract, $10.

Frank Schmitz and Anna Schmitz to Mrs Gussie Simmonsen, lots 1 and 4, block B, Sheboygen tract, $1500.

Joseph W Chalmers and Eleanor M Chalmers to George A McElfresh, lots 52 and 53, Ross & Dixon tract, $1400.

P M Green and Henrietta Green to Mary A Wiswell, lots 16 and 17, and part lot 18, G W Barnhart's subdivision, $200.

Lucy D. Sinsabaugh and Mary R Sinsabaugh to Clarence M Thomas, lot 4, block 3, Brearley & Sinsabaugh tract, $10.

Edward Mahar to Ferdinand S Phillips, lots 9 and 10, Pacific Avenue tract, $200.

Charles V Hall and Josephine S Hall to Mary L Bonnell, lot 16, block 20, C V Hall tract, $10.

William Carter to Richard Carter, part section 26 3 S 12, $600.

R Verch and Marie Verch to H C Woodward, lot 4, block 4, J W Browning's subdivision, $10.

Cameron E Thom and Belle Cameron Thom to L C Brand, lots 10, 12, 14, portion of C E Thom tract and Glassell & Chapman tract, Rancho San Rafael, $10.

Estate of Oscar L Stillings, deceased, decree of distribution to Evalyn M Stillings, lots 3, 4, 5 and 6, and part lot 1, M J Riggins tract, lot 9 and part lot 8, J R Riggins subdivision.

Willard H Clark, trustee in real estate of James E Frick bankrupt to Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles, lot 3, block 5 and lot 4, block 6, Homestead tract, $150.

Lydia Clyne to Percy H Clark, lot 11, block A, Ainsworth tract, $10.

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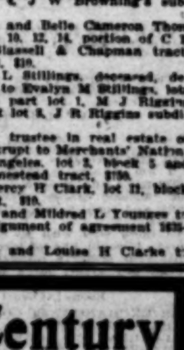

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...nature of the game ...by the name of ...has McDonald, ...cheated to death, ...decisions, gives ...and is apparently ...his judgment. Chi... ...end of one of his ...will always think ...to them on another. ...from the grand ...he could not see. ...evidence of being a ...is certainly better ...performed here for ...made mistakes ...observed that he did ...

...not get a run until ...hit to right cen... ...to Hanlon, Spies ...being no one there ...the ball. Corbett ...King and Elen ...to left center and ...on plate. Ot Dobb's ...to the plate about ...and Kling made ...Spies in front ...it could not be ...grand stand, and ...safe, the Chi... ...over the de... ...stood for ...

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Smith did not touch Casey, but the umpire called him out, and that settled it. No other Chicago player passed third base.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Lawler's error was in the fourth, when he ground-juggled Jones's hit long enough for him to reach second.

Hanlon was one of the visitors' stars, for he saved many a low-thrown ball from being a bad error. Bill has a long reach and it stood him in good stead.

J. Hardy in left field, had an off day of it, but he is a utility man and not used to playing left. He booted his first chance, overthrew to second on his next and then in the ninth muffed a fly to left-center. None of these blunders figured in the two runs of the locals, however.

Wheeler surprised everyone by proving himself as good as the best pitcher in the game, for only one hit was made off him in three innings.

A feature of the game was the absence of passes, no one reaching first on balls.

Corviden took Hardy's place in the box in the eighth inning, and in the next round, Dillon saluted him with a triple.

The score:

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hoy, cf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Ross, rf	4	0	2	0	2	0	0
Dillon, lb	4	1	1	0	14	0	0
Hollingsworth, 2b	4	0	1	0	0	4	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	2	0	3	2	0
Lawler, lf	4	0	0	0	2	0	1
Toman, ss	3	0	0	0	2	3	1
Spies, c	3	1	1	0	5	1	0
Corbett, p	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Wheeler, p	3	0	0	0	0	2	0
Total	33	2	7	0	27	16	1

CHICAGO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Jones, rf	4	0	1	0	1	1	0
Hardy, J., lf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Kling, c	4	0	0	0	7	0	0
Dobbs, cf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Tinker, ss	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
Casey, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	2	0
Evers, 2b	3	0	0	0	3	4	0
Hanlon, lb	3	0	0	0	9	0	0
Hardy, A., p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Corriden, p	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Total	29	0	1	0	27	11	0

SUMMARY:

Three-base hits—Dillon.
Sacrifice hits—Evers.
First base on errors—Los Angeles, 1.
Left on base—Los Angeles, 1; Chicago, 5.
Struck out—By Corbett, 1; by Hardy, 2.
Double play—Jones to Hanlon.
Wild pitch—Wheeler.
Passed ball—Spies.
Time of game—1h. 30m.
Umpire—Chamberlain.

GAME TODAY.

In this afternoon's game Newton and Hall will pitch for Los Angeles, and Menefee or Taylor may be seen in the box for Chicago. Corbett and Gray will twirl for the locals tomorrow.

Mike's Men Will Stay.

Concerning the dispatch in The Times yesterday that Capt. Reilly of the local opposition team had signed Doyle, Cutter and Hildebrand of the Sacramento club of the Pacific Coast League, Manager Morley received a telegram yesterday from Henry Harris of San Francisco, that those players had decided to remain with Sacramento.

Fred Raymer will leave here next Monday for Columbus, O., where he is to play this season.

MATINEE RACING.

FIVE RUNNING EVENTS.

The benefit to be given this afternoon at Agricultural Park to the running horsemen who were stranded here by the failure to hold a running-race meeting this spring, promises to be interesting, as many good horses are entered. There will be five races, and the first one is scheduled to start at 2 o'clock. Among those in the list are Hub Prather, Nora D., Vince, Meteora, Petrarch, Sir Claus, Ulm and Mellicole. The programme will consist of two six-furlong races, and one each at four, five and five and one-half furlongs.

A band will furnish music between the races.

Basket Ball.

At the State Normal School gymnasium last night, the Y.M.C.A. Meteors further fortified their claim to the championship of Los Angeles county by defeating the Normal School team by a score of 16 to 7. Although at a disadvantage on account of the size and weight of their opponents, the Meteors showed their superiority by fine passing and all-around team work. The umpires were Clifford and Cortelyou.

HAS GONE THE LIMIT.

The notorious Frank Holland was arrested last night by Patrolmen Henderson and Murphy, on a charge of vagrancy. He is a son of the former Coroner of this county, and has given his family much trouble. According to the statements of the officers he has placed his wife on the crib row, and has been living off her earnings. Holland is the man who several months ago procured two marriage licenses to marry two women. His first wife secured a divorce because of his alleged intimacy with women of the half-world, and he was arrested for contempt because he failed to provide the alimony which the court imposed upon him. He has been making his boasts that no policeman would dare to molest him, because of his political pull. At the Police Station he gave the name of Frank Thomas, but on being recognized admitted his identity.

GALL-BLADDER DISEASES.

Members of the Los Angeles County Medical Association held a meeting last night in the Southern California Music Company's block on South Broadway. The programme was a "Symposium on Gall-bladder Diseases," and the discussion was opened by Dr. George Lasher. Other speakers were Dr. L. G. Visscher, "Symptoms, Diagnosis and Medical Treatment;" Dr. Carl Kurtz, "Surgical Treatment," and Dr. Albert Soiland, "X-ray in Diagnosis."

VALUABLE ACREAGE.

Frances Winstel sells to C. A. Sumner, for an English syndicate, through the agency of Henry B. Spencer, forty acres lying between the lands of Peter Young and E. J. Baldwin, and South Park avenue and Main street; consideration named, $40,000. Bought for subdivision. Is no part of lands recently bought by prominent local people for a racing track.

THREE WOMEN KILLED.

PHILIPSDALE (R. I.) March 20.—Three women were instantly killed and a fourth was probably fatally injured while walking from Pawtucket to this place on the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad today. The victims in trying to avoid a train, were struck by an engine on another track. The dead are:

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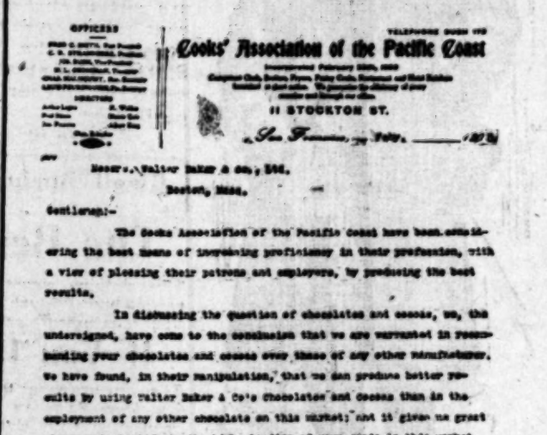

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Paul Mauer, Chef, Family Club, Pierre Guillemin, Maryland Restaurant
Marius Bedeau, Chef, Atlantic Cable
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Louis Baumgartner, Chef, Occidental Hotel, Rathskeller, San Francisco Club
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M. Cook, Transport Club
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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

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Will Improve.

Lewis C. Carlisle has purchased of Walter F. Haas, through Althouse Bros., 100x206 feet, unimproved, on the southeast corner of Alvarado and Twelfth streets; consideration named, $6500. Purchaser will improve with modern dwellings as an investment.

Robbed While Sleeping.

R. S. Henry reported to the detectives yesterday that while he and three companions were asleep in a tent near Third and Bixel streets the night before, a thief had entered and stolen their clothing, containing a watch and $36. The garments were found nearby yesterday morning.

To Entertain President.

Niles Pease, N. B. Blackstone, M. H. Newmark, J. O. Koepfli and W. C. Bluett were named yesterday by the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association as a committee to join with members from other commercial organizations in the city in forming a Committee on Entertainment for President Roosevelt. Committees have already been appointed from the Chamber of Commerce and the Board of Trade. Secretary Wiggins of the Chamber of Commerce is secretary of the committee.

Shot at Him.

That Ed Wilson, a laborer, was not killed yesterday morning at 4 o'clock was not the fault of two deputy constables. Mistaking him for a burglar they attempted to arrest him. He ran and both officers began shooting at him. One of the bullets passed through his clothes, and even after he stopped, he says, one of them fired an additional shot at him. The circumstances made it look bad for Wilson until they had been investigated, and then it was found that he had done nothing more serious than to get drunk and enter a yard to sleep off.

Two Small Blazes.

The residence of George Stickney, No. 151 South Avenue Eighteen, was damaged to the amount of $25 yesterday morning by a fire caused by children playing with matches. At 4:55 o'clock yesterday afternoon the firemen responded to an alarm from Thirty-second and Main streets. Mrs. Jane Durant, who rooms at No. 353½ South Main street, had filled her gasoline stove, and a moment later lighted a match too close to the vessel which had contained the gasoline. There was an explosion and the fire damaged the room and furniture to the amount of $35. Mrs. Durant was not injured.

Two Charges of Felony.

In the person of Frank Young, who was arrested several days ago by Patrolman Lennon as a suspect, the police believe they have an expert thief. Two complaints for grand larceny will be lodged against him today. One is for the theft of a bicycle from the front porch of the residence of John C. Ince, No. 316 Omar avenue. The bicycle was found in Young's possession when he was arrested. The other charge is that of having stolen a watch from Reuben Van Buskirk of No. 466 East Third street, in a saloon at Third street and Central avenue. The watch was recovered, and Van Buskirk has recognized the thief.

Thieving Bell Boy.

Joe Ziebes, until recently a bellboy employed at the Van Nuys Hotel, is a prisoner in the City Jail, charged with grand larceny. With his salary and the tips which he received he had been making more than $100 per month, but he got into fast company, and spent money like a man of wealth. It was nothing for him to pay $10 for a dinner to some woman, and, his funds running short, he began stealing. He stole a fine gold watch from a guest at the hotel named Weideman, and was caught with the watch on his person. He will probably be sent to Whittier, as he is only 16 years of age.

Fire in a Church.

Flames were seen seemingly issuing from the roof of the First Presbyterian Church, Twentieth and Figueroa streets at 8:40 o'clock last night, and an alarm of fire was turned in from box 31, nearby. When the fire department arrived the church appeared to be on fire, and a line of hose was laid to the roof. When the firemen reached the seat of the fire they found that it had been caused in a rather unusual manner. Birds had built a large nest in the top of one of the chimney-flues and when a fire was started under the furnaces of the church, the straw and other inflammable materials of which the nest was composed, became ignited. The fire was quickly extinguished and there was no loss.

Another Market—Maybe.

Rumor had it last evening among the produce men that a third public market is soon to be erected here. It is said that William Liss, a retired eastern merchant living in Oakland, is backing the scheme. His plan, it was said, would be the charging of a small commission on each stall, making the amount very light indeed, and by building a large place, thereby gain considerable revenue from low rates. Just who Liss may be is not known, but it is said that he has had an agent in town for several days, looking at a piece of property near Fourth street and Central avenue. The whereabouts of Liss's agent could not be learned, nor could anything conclusive be discovered last evening.

Sudden Death.

T. L. Stringham, treasurer of the Highland Park Improvement Association, died suddenly at his residence, No. 135 East Avenue 53, yesterday morning of heart failure. He had retired in apparent good health the evening previous, but a little after 2 a.m. awakened his wife by the information that he had neuralgia of the heart, and medical aid was summoned as soon as possible, but before the arrival of Drs. Andrews and Axline he had passed away. The deceased was in the drug business several years at Topeka, Kan., before coming to Los Angeles, but since residing here he has followed the occupation of builder and contractor, and was engaged on the erection of a new residence on Avenue 55 at the time of his death. He leaves a widow and one son, Frank D. Stringham, an attorney at San Francisco, who is expected to arrive this morning, when arrangements for the funeral will be perfected. He was a man of genial nature and enjoyed the respect and esteem of a large circle of friends. He was in the sixty-fourth year of his age.

BREVITIES.

At Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Flower street, corner Pico (Thirteenth) street, Sunday, at 11 o'clock, the Rt. Rev. Joseph H. Johnson, D.D., Bishop of Los Angeles, will preach and administer the rite of confirmation. Both University and Pico Heights cars pass the door.

Rev. Aquilla Webb, Ph.D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will preach at 11 o'clock tomorrow upon "The Wonderful Name." No evening service. The church will be well heated, as usual, the main auditorium having suffered no damage from the recent fire.

Auction—Today we will sell a line of the finest kimonos, in crepe and silk, ever offered on this Coast. Morse & Co., 310 S. Broadway.

Children's open class lesson in physical culture, 3 p.m. today, Cumnock School of Expression.

H. A. Getz, fine tailoring, at moderate prices, 408 S. Broadway, under Chamber of Commerce.

Ladies, don't forget the millinery opening today. Mrs. J. A. Parish, 504 South Broadway.

Ladies, attention! Seed beads, turquoise, black, white, etc. Field & Cole, 349 Spring.

Fine Cabinet photos reduced to $1, $1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam, 236 S. Main.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph Cable Company's office, No. 238 South Spring street, for Miss Sarah L. Newcomb, O. B. Stean, Mrs. H. W. Schlueter, L. S. Robe, Irvin Silverberg, Mrs. W. R. Powers, Mrs. M. M. Bund, John A. Abbott, Charles Travers.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for H. B. Hedges, T. B. Hicks, E. R. McNeill, G. T. Kennedy, A. Williams, S. G. Ames, Charles Hill, Mrs. S. M. Berry, G. M. Sanborn, Mrs. F. Hamann, T. Duncan, Dr. Joseph A. Crowell, W. H. Harris, Enriqueta Gessenius, S. T. Pratt, G. R. Baynton, George C. Michener, Mrs. S. M. Gardner, Edwin Coles and cablegram for Countess Carnarvon.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Guy A. Toombs, aged 21, a native of Ohio, resident of Los Angeles, and Juana Ybarra, aged 30, a native of California and resident of Los Angeles.

Otho C. Moore, aged 24, a native of Michigan, resident of Los Angeles, and Laura B. Swaney, aged 20, native of Colorado, resident of Los Angeles.

Jonathan H. Melton, aged 33, native of Alabama, resident of El Paso, and Bertha T. Kennedy, aged 26, native of California, resident of San Francisco.

Elijah H. Bruce, aged 36, native of Michigan, resident of Los Angeles, and Gertrude French, aged 33, native of Iowa, resident of South Pasadena.

Lanier Bartlett, aged 23, native of California, resident of Los Angeles, and Pansy Edna Williams, aged 23, native of Illinois, resident of Los Angeles.

Charles G. Spangler, aged 35, native of Illinois, resident of Los Angeles, and Jane A. Durrent, aged 23, native of Canada, resident of Los Angeles.

MARRIAGE RECORD.

BOWMAN-M'GANNON—In Los Angeles, March 18, 1903, by Rev. A. W. Bunker, Frank H. Bowman, Jr., of Santa Monica, and Blanche McGannon of Los Angeles.

BIRTH RECORD.

CALDWELL—To the wife of Frank Caldwell, Beaumont, Cal.; March 19, a son.

DEATH RECORD.

MINTZER—At Inglewood, March 19, 1903, William H. Mintzer, aged 75 years. Funeral from late residence, Sunday, March 22, at 1 o'clock. Funeral private.

EADS—At No. 633 South Burlington avenue, James A. Eads of Paris, Ill., aged 69 years.

REULAND—In Pomona, March 19, at the home of Melvin Campbell, James Melvin Reuland, only child of H. J. and Elizabeth Reuland, aged 3 years 8 months.

VON SCHMIDT—In this city, March 20, 1903, Jennie Laura, beloved wife of Alfred W. Von Schmidt, Sr., mother of Mrs. W. Robert Hill of Anaheim, Cal., Alfred W., Jr., Frederick H., George W. and Mabel F. Von Schmidt; a native of Maryland, aged 36 years 7 months 6 days. Funeral notice later. San Francisco and Fresno papers please copy.

STRINGHAM—At his residence, No. 135 East avenue 53, Friday, March 20, T. L. Stringham, aged 63 years 2 months 15 days. Funeral notice later.

HOOKER—In this city, Irene Gertrude, beloved daughter of V. E. and Nellie M. Hooker, a native of California, aged 7 months. Funeral today at 2 p.m. from late residence, No. 1257 East Seventh street. Interment at Calvary Cemetery.

ROWLAND—In this city, March 20, 1903, Mrs. Emma I., beloved wife of M. A. Rowland, aged 28 years and 20 days. Funeral notice hereafter.

Prince Sunday, March 25, 1903, at 2 p.m., from the parlors of Detzer Ramson Co., No. 533 South Spring street. Friends are invited.

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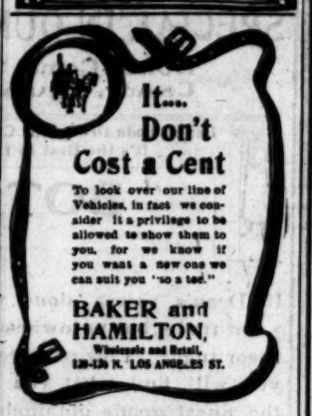

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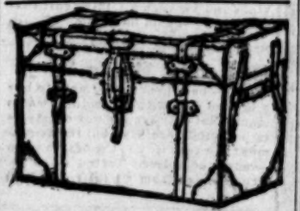

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This comes in both single and double breasted styles for youths' ages 16 to

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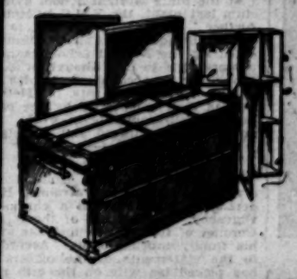

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SOLID MEN'S RACE TRACK.

Backers of Big Enterprise are Sure Winners.

Randolph, Muir, Kerckhoff and Banning Among Them.

Purchase of Large Tract Fully Verified—Col. Randolph to Be President.

Racing circles throughout the West were electrified yesterday by the publication in The Times of the purposes and plans of a local syndicate to make Los Angeles a great racing center in the immediate future. It was also stated that quite half a million dollars would be spent in the project; that 160 acres of land adjoining the city limits on the south had been purchased for race-course purposes; that the promoters would insist on nothing but clean sport along lines of the highest class; and that the most expert builder of race tracks in America was now on the ground preparing plans and specifications for a magnificent pleasure park modeled after the far-famed Latonia of Kentucky and other first-class racing places in the world.

The local syndicate referred to comprises Epes Randolph, vice-president and general manager of the Pacific Electric Railway Company; John A. Muir, general manager of the Los Angeles Railway Company; W. G. Kerckhoff, president of the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Lumber Company; William Garland, president of the Gila Valley, Globe and Northern Railway of Arizona; Capt. William Banning, president of the Wilmington Transportation Company; W. E. Dunn of the law firm of Messrs. Dunn & Crutcher, and J. W. Brooks, who managed last season's racing at Agricultural Park.

Such is a list of the substantial backers of the big racing venture. Whether or not they will all identify themselves as directors of the corporate body now organizing has not as yet been fully determined. In the case of Capt. Banning, it is said that other business duties will probably make it impossible for him to serve on the directorate. All of the above-named men are agreed, however, that they would have nothing to do with the project, or permit their names in any way to attach, except for the most strenuous determination that crooked horse racing shall not be tolerated; that races shall not be conducted for gambling purposes solely, and that gentlemanly sport alone shall be offered on a large scale to a respectable, order-loving public that will always frown down on tin-horn gamblers, touts and malcontents generally.

As far as Mr. Muir and Col. Randolph are connected with the affair, it should be stated explicitly that their interest therein is only personal; that they are plain citizens, but active lovers of good horse flesh in the movement, and that neither the Los Angeles Railway Company nor the Pacific Electric Railway Company, which they serve in official capacities, has anything to do with the project.

Nor is H. E. Huntington backing them in any way, or the scheme with a single cent.

"I hope you will make this point very clear to the public," said one of the promoters yesterday. "Mr. Huntington, while a great lover of fine horses, is not interested with us in the proposed race course, and pleasure park. He will take no stock. Although two of his high and trusted officials are active in the proposition, their interest is personal, and they are putting up their own good money."

It is announced that Col. Randolph will serve the corporation as its president, while J. W. Brooks is to be manager. Hailing from the heart of old Kentucky as he does, having lived there for years, Col. Randolph is fully equipped with a technical knowledge of horse flesh, and the proper conduct of race meets, and it was only with the full understanding that the venture means strictly high-class sport that he would accept the presidency. In former years the colonel was a director of the famous association at Latonia, Ky.

Experts maintain that Southern California enjoys the best racing climate in the world, and, inasmuch as it was inevitable that Los Angeles should become a great racing center, it is fortunate that any organization seeking to foster, conduct and regulate the old sport of horse racing, should be in the clean hands of reputable citizens backed by enough money to make their parks and courses attractive to the whole country. If the project in view is successfully terminated, New Orleans and San Francisco must surely give up their claims to any serious winter racing. Los Angeles will hold the palm with its sunny climate, its far-famed hospitality, and the horde of fashionable tourists who come here annually to escape the terrors and discomforts of the ice-bound East.

It develops that $116,000 was paid for the acreage south of the city, and that the management proposes to spend thereof about $250,000 for improvements.

MORE OFFICE ROOM.

Homer Laughlin May Erect Duplicate of His Broadway Building on Hill Street, Between Third and Fourth.

Negotiations are under way for another high-class office building in the business district. Homer Laughlin, builder of one of the largest and best-appointed office and store structures in the city, is turning his attention to the duplication of his big Broadway building. He has obtained estimates on the cost of steel and other necessary building material and within a few months may decide to carry out the project.

Hill street between Third and Fourth, is the site under contemplation, and the principal reason for not building at once is said to be Mr. Laughlin's desire to note what effect will be had on the demand for office room by the completion of the numerous office buildings now in course of erection. If it is found that conditions demand more room Mr. Laughlin will be in a position to proceed at once with the new building.

The proposed structure, it is said, will resemble in important details the handsome steel and fireproof Laughlin building that stands on the west side of Broadway, just south of Third street. Mr. Laughlin owns the adjoining property in the rear of his present building, through to a west front on Hill street, and it is on this land that the new building would be erected. None of the details of the new structure have been determined upon, further than it will resemble in many respects the big Broadway building. It may be built to connect with the present structure, or it may be decided to make the buildings separate.

At Mr. Laughlin's office yesterday it was said that prices were being obtained on material, and that the building might be erected within a year.

THE OIL INDUSTRY

STANDARD RETIRES EMPLOYEES ON PENSION.

AFTER THIRTY YEARS' SERVICE GIVEN HALF PAY.

Order Covers Workmen in Various Refineries of East—Union's Lompoc Well May Prove Greatest Producer in State. Whittier-Fillmore Well Pumping.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] April 1 the Standard Oil Company will retire 600 of its employés, who have been continuously at work for over thirty years in the oil refineries of Long Island City, Greenpoint, and Williamsburg, and many of the men who will discontinue work on that date were told so today. All will be retired on half-pay. When the Standard Oil Company's officers decided to pension all the employés who would retire after thirty or more years' employment, it was believed that the order only affected those who held confidential positions in the company's employ, but it was learned today that not only the men who have drawn big salaries will be retired on pensions, but that all men who have been in the company's employ for over thirty years will be pensioned off. The order retiring the men on April 1 is not compulsory, and as the men who work around the oil refineries are healthy, many of them are veterans in the business, and will not retire for a long time.

In all refineries in Long Island City there will be many changes in the heads of departments after April 1 as a result of the retirement of old hands. The men like the idea of retiring, excepting those who still have big families dependent on them. The latter will not retire, nor will they be asked to. In the places of heads of departments who will retire, their assistants will be promoted.

BIGGEST WELL YET.

IS UNION'S LOMPOC PRODUCER.

"It will prove the greatest producer in the West," said Frank Earl of Santa Barbara, in referring to the new oil well of the Union Oil Company in the Lompoc field. "It could easily do 1000 barrels a day, but the company is not trying to put it through its paces, owing to limited tankage facilities."

If reports can be relied on, the Union has tapped one of the biggest producers in this end of the State. There is plenty of gas about the hole, and when the cap is removed it sends the oil away over the derrick.

The Lompoc is working night and day on its well, which has reached a depth of 1300 feet. Oil seepage is frequently encountered.

PRODUCING AT LAST.

This week the Whittier-Fillmore Oil Company began pumping its first well. The stockholders of this corporation have been paying assessments with regularity for over a year, and they are now rejoicing over the prospect of dividends. The well is good for 125 barrels a day.

ON 'CHANGE.

BUSINESS IMPROVES.

Business continues to improve on the Stock Exchange. During yesterday's session the sales were:

	Shares.	Price.
Fullerton Oil	1,000	$ .02½
Reed Crude	100	.11½
Union	20	62.50
Westlake	500	.02½
Globe	100	.14
Hudson	2,000	.10
Total	3,720	$1,351.50

Closing bids and offers for listed oil stocks were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Alpha	$ .02	....
Aztec	.30	....
Brea Canyon	2.90	3.00
Central	.34	1.00
Columbia	.20½	.22½
Continental	....	.40
Fullerton Consolidated	.08	....
Fullerton Oil	.02½	.02¾
Globe	.14	.16½
Reed Crude	.10¾	.11¼
Senator	.09	.10
Southern Consolidated	....	.04
Turner	.30	....
Union	62.50	62.50
United Petroleum	....	118.00
Westlake	.02½	.02¾
Whittier Consolidated	....	.03¼

For listed mining stocks, offers were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Golden Argus	....	$17.00

For unlisted mining stocks offers were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Butte Lode	$25.00	$29.00
Bisbee West	.11	.12
Elsbee Belle	....	.05
Hudson	.02½	.10
Verde King	.18	.22
South Bisbee Copper	.12½	.17½
American Gold	....	....
Red Cloud	....	.12½
Exposed Treasure	....	....
Providence G. & C.	.06	.07
Black Hills Copper	.15	.24
Venture Hill	....	.02
Copper Glance	.45	....
Modern Copper	....	.45
Hidalgo	.20	....
Wallanal	.02	.06
Consolidated Mines	.27	....
California-Nevada	.40	.50
Tuscan-California	....	....

PETROLEUM MARKET.

The average grade of the local fuel oil is quoted in the field at from 55 to 70 cents a barrel. Oil of less than 12 gravity sells at the wells at from 40 to 55 cents.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—At the morning session of the California Stock and Oil Exchange, sales were made at the following figures: 50 Sterling, 3.25; 1000 Sovereign, .43; 1200 Sovereign, .42; 2000 Reed, .21; 100 No. 28, 3.40; 100 No. 28, 3.55; 100 Occidental, .18; 1000 Fauna, .14; 100 Equitable Gas, 4.50; 50 Northern California Power, 9.75.

Official closing figures were: 400 Oil City, .32; 1000 Independence, .12; 1200 Superior, .08; 1000 Caribou, .90.

WRIGHT SEEKS BAIL.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Judge Lacombe, in the United States Circuit Court, today signed an order granting an application for a writ of habeas corpus and certiorari for Whitaker Wright, returnable next Monday, at which time the court will consider the question whether the prisoner is entitled to be released on bail.

"KING JESUS" ACCLAIMED.

New Nazarene Church Opened With Wild Fervor.

Congregation Marches in Body From Old Tabernacle.

Over Two Thousand Persons Sing and Shout Praises, Led by Pastor.

"Glor-e-e! Glor-e-e! Glor-e-e-e-e!"

A little woman in faded black stood up last evening in the new Church of the Nazarene and in a strong, shrill voice fairly shrieked these three words, holding the last note almost a minute. Instantly two thousand tongues fervently took up the sentiment of praise, and shouts of "Amen!" "Hallelujah!" "Praise the Lord!" and "Glory to His Name!" swelled into a chorus so mighty it was almost deafening.

Some dancing with exuberance, some shouting praises, and groups of other men and women singing gospel hymns—the great congregation of the Nazarene had just finished the march from their old church and crowded into the splendid new house of worship at the corner of Sixth and Wall streets. Ground floor, gallery and choir loft were packed to their utmost capacity; aisles and corridors were filled, and on the stone steps and sidewalk a solid mass of humanity was jammed up against the front of the big brick building. For a moment the great concourse stood hushed in uncertain expectancy; then the little woman yelled out the feeling of her heart and released their tongues. For three hours thereafter the strange ceremonies continued, the preaching and singing arousing so high enthusiasm that it approached pandemonium.

The ceremonies incident to the first occupancy of the new Nazarene Church began at 2 o'clock, when a throng so great that not half of the people could gain entrance gathered at the old barn-like edifice on South Los Angeles street. The farewell to the old barn, which for seven years had served them as a place of worship, aroused great feeling among the people, many adding their tears to the brief service of song and prayer.

Rev. Dr. Phineas H. Bresee, the venerable founder of the independent faith, conducted the exercises. At the close he invited the audience to form for the march, and, taking the lead with Assistant Pastor Ruth and Evangelist Cornwell, the aged divine started, making a circuit of the hall, followed by the congregation. When the procession passed out the doors and started on the two blocks' journey to the new church, it was augmented by the great throng which had waited patiently outside in the street.

It was a strange parade that took its way down the sidewalks of the dark streets. The people jostled along without orderly formation, a pall of sadness keeping almost absolute silence. As the corner was turned and the bright lights were seen shining from the colored windows of the new church, some began shouting praises and the spirit of rejoicing was infectious. All along the long line groups began singing hymns, which continued until the doors were reached.

Spectacular in the extreme was one of the opening features of the evening's services. The first hymn was "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder, I'll Be There," and the volume of sound was terrific. Suddenly Dr. Bresee sprang to the front of the stage, whipped out his handkerchief and waved it enthusiastically. Rising as one person, the audience followed suit, and the whole auditorium was a flutter of white, the demonstration lasting over a minute. Such was the perfect control of pastor over congregation manifested throughout.

After a series of gospel hymns sung with the greatest possible enthusiasm, Dr. Bresee made a short and fervent speech, relating briefly the past history and future aims of the remarkable church. Dr. Bresee was frequently interrupted by shouts of "Yes, Lord," and his striking expressions were greeted by a perfect chorus of "Amens." The pastor expressed the church's gratitude for blessings received, and compared the march just closed to that which would occur on the judgment day. He said he had given up the pastorate of rich churches because he thought he could save more souls among the poor, "God has taken weak things to confound the mighty, and things that were as nothing to overthrow things that were," said the pastor. "I am more anxious to see souls saved than anything else."

Evangelist Cornwell of Cleveland, O., who will hold special afternoon and evening revival meetings in the new Nazarene Church beginning next Tuesday afternoon, made the address of the evening. He aroused great enthusiasm and his closing appeals caused many to ask for prayers and several to kneel at the penitents' altar.

"Jesus is the greatest name in the world," began Mr. Cornwell, "I move we give three cheers for King Jesus." They were given with a will. The speaker then led the audience in thunderous shouts of "Amen," "Hallelujah" and "Praise the Lord," each acclaim being repeated three times.

"Sin is wrecking and ruining the world," continued Cornwell. "This tabernacle is founded to save people from going to hell and land them in heaven. There should be no room in the church for the oyster supper, the worldly sideshow, or other such advance agencies of sin. I think it is not the purpose of the Nazarenes to exalt this church, but to hold up the Christ to the world. But I hope if you get proud of your church, God will smash you to pieces." The striking epigrams of the speaker elicited loud expressions of approval. He told many pathetic stories, and his word pictures of moral degradation were greeted with groans of sorrow.

At the close of Mr. Cornwell's speech the bulk of the audience departed, but the church leaders remained to labor with and pray for the penitents. The formal dedication of the new church will take place next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, the sermon being by the pastor, Dr. Bresee. At 3 o'clock p.m. Assistant Pastor Ruth will speak, and in the evening, the services will be led by Evangelist Cornwell.

TANNERS FAIL.

Applications for Receivers for One of Largest Concerns in Country and Auxiliary Company.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BUFFALO (N. Y.) March 20.—C. Moensche & Co. and Moensche, Fisher & Gaensien of Gowanda, two of the largest tannery concerns in this part of the country, are insolvent. Applications for the appointment of receivers for both companies were made today.

The capital stock of C. Moensch & Co. is $1,500,000, and that of Moensch, Fisher & Gaenslen is $600,000. The motion of the dissolution of the companies was made in behalf of the majority of the directors. Both companies have large plants at Cattaraugus, Gowanda and Salamanca, and at Alpena, Mich. Warehouses of these concerns are located in Chicago, Boston and other cities. It was stated in the petition that the apparent assets of Moensch & Co. are $1,248,000. Actual liabilities were given at $854,000, and contingent liabilities at $500,000.

POPULAR PREACHERS IN MASS MEETING.

PACIFIC GOSPEL UNION PLANS BIG GATHERING.

To Demonstrate Success of New Management—More Than Forty Churches Will Close Their Doors Sunday Night and Help it Along—Other Church News.

What is designed to be one of the most popular religious mass meetings ever held in the city will no doubt pack Simpson Auditorium Sunday night, under the auspices of the Pacific Gospel Union. Over forty churches have been induced to close their doors on that evening to make way for the mission, and several of the popular ministers of the city will make addresses. It will afford an opportunity for hearing them from the same platform.

Rev. William Horace Day will talk on the "General Need of Rescue Work;" Dr. George Thomas Dowling, on the "Relation of the Churches to the Mission;" Dr. Hugh K. Walker, upon "Our Pacific Gospel Union." Superintendent Will C. Trotter and those who work with him will tell about what they are doing in the mission.

There will also be talks of a less formal character by many other ministers, and special music, with Mrs. W. F. Baird at the pipe organ.

Six months ago the board of directors of the mission called Will C. Trotter to be its superintendent, and from the very first the work has prospered greatly, and has now moved to new and more advantageous quarters at No. 145 North Main street. Mr. Trotter is assisted by his brother, George. Both of them are men rescued from the curse of rum through the gospel, and they seem to have a peculiar knack for getting at the hearts of other men, as only men can who have themselves felt the sting.

More than two hundred men and women have been converted at the mission under their ministrations here, and much good accomplished in other directions.

MURPHY MEETING.

The topic for the Francis Murphy gospel temperance meeting on Sunday evening in Blanchard Hall will be "Decision." The music will be in charge of Charles Lamb, and there will be special vocal numbers by Mr. Estey of Luton, who so delighted the meeting on last Sunday evening. The famous apostle of gospel temperance will address the people as usual. All seats are free, and a special invitation is extended to men.

EVANGELIST DOWLING.

Rev. Frank M. Dowling of Pasadena is in charge of a series of meetings now in progress in the Vernon Christian Church, on Forty-fifth street, near Central avenue. He is assisted by a sweet gospel singer in the person of Mrs. Princess Long, who is giving much pleasure to the large audiences that attend the meetings. On Sunday morning there will be a service at 11 o'clock, and a meeting for men only at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The evening services will continue indefinitely every evening except Saturday.

IRISH SOCIAL.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First English Lutheran Church gave a novel social last night, which they called an "Irish Social." The invitations were written upon a shamrock cut from green paper, and green was the prevailing color everywhere. The entertainment was conceived and carried out under Miss Von Werter, and proved a great success.

SAINT HILTON LEAVES CITY.

Takes Nineteen-year-old Girl With Him.

Salt Lake's Mormon Police Chief Queered by Exposure.

The Plural Wife Idea Didn't Work Very Well in Los Angeles.

Thomas Hilton, the Mormon missionary and former Chief of Police of Salt Lake, has jumped the town, taking with him the nineteen-year-old girl, Josie McMurrin, his wife's sister, with whom he had been living as man and wife at No. 160 West Seventeenth street.

Hilton could not face the exposé of his crookedness, Wednesday morning The Times told the story of the ex-chief's double life—how he had deserted his wife and two children in Utah; how the wife is now suing in Salt Lake for divorce; how Hilton was masking in Los Angeles in the guise of a butcher, working for Milton Carlson at No. 129 South Main street for $12 a week, while living as man and wife with Josie McMurrin, his wife's handsome and youthful sister.

At 5 o'clock on the evening of the same day, Wednesday, Hilton and Josie McMurrin quit Los Angeles, taking the "Owl" for San Francisco. Wednesday noon Hilton threw up his job at Carlson's, drew what pay was coming to him, and left the store. An hour or two later he sent a note to a fellow workman, named Nelson, saying that he was going to Ogden to "straighten out some things." To this same Nelson he had said, earlier in the day: "The newspapers are after me, and I've got to get out." Immediately after quitting his job Hilton telephoned to Josie McMurrin, at the house, No. 160 West Seventeenth street, where they were rooming. Hanging up the phone, the girl called James A. Zellner, who with his wife and two small children occupy the house, and said:

"My husband has just telephoned me that he has received a telegram saying that his father is very ill in Salt Lake, and we must go to him at once."

A little later in the afternoon a newspaper man called on Josie McMurrin, at No. 160 West Seventeenth street, as told in the published interview. Mr. Zellner says that five minutes after the departure of the newspaper man Miss McMurrin put on her hat and coat and left the house, without even saying good-by to the family with whom she and Hilton had lived for two months. She did not return, but an expressman came and took away their trunks in time to catch the Owl. These, evidently, had been packed the night before. Hilton had paid two months' rent in advance, but so great was his and Miss McMurrin's anxiety to get away, after the publication of their story, that they did not stop to settle the rent bill, though they were entitled to two weeks' rebate, they having occupied their room only six weeks.

Said Zellner, yesterday afternoon: "I overheard part of your conversation Tuesday afternoon, with the girl upon whom we looked as Hilton's wife, and that was the first intimation I had that everything was not straight. Hilton and the girl came to our house six weeks ago and introduced themselves as Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hilton, and we rented our best room to them. Of course, if we had had the least idea that they were crooked we would not have taken them in."

In reply to questioning Zellner said: "Hilton and the girl lived very well—far better, that is, than could a couple if the man was getting only $12 a week. They did not appear to stint themselves, but had everything they wanted, often going out for amusement." Hilton's wage at Carlson's butcher shop was only $12 a week, so he must have had money on the side.

SMALLPOX IN SALT LAKE.

SALT LAKE (Utah) March 20.—Statistics from the City Board of Health tend to show that smallpox in a mild form is epidemic in Salt Lake and vicinity. Eighty cases are in quarantine in Salt Lake five in Big Cottonwoods, 13 in Crescent and scattered cases at a number of other suburban towns.

COX ESCAPED GARBED AS MODEST WOMAN.

MARTIN E. COX, brutish murderer and debaucher of girls, took train and rode serenely away from Los Angeles disguised as an innocent and modest young woman.

A man well acquainted with the murderer made this positive statement yesterday.

The information is the most interesting, important and plausible that has come to light since the killing of the aged money-lender, James M. Sowards, and the absolutely mystifying escape of the young murderer.

Every circumstance surrounding the sensational crime points to the correctness of this new theory. Cox was a dude and "ladies' man," and left the city the morning after the day of the crime with his trunk and other ample belongings. Some expressman took his trunk from the South Broadway lodging-house, where Cox spent the night with his old acquaintance, Oscar Bogue. At the depot the traveler must have appeared to check the trunk, and been seen by the ticket seller and other attachés. The traveler also was compelled to run the gauntlet of the trainmen, and few experienced conductors there are who do not note quite carefully all of their passengers, especially those embarking for long journeys, such as Cox must have been.

Following the discovery of the crime the detectives made a most exhaustive canvas of all railroad men who would have come in contact with the escaping murderer, including baggage men and the handlers of trains leaving during that day. In this city every possible effort was exerted to locate the expressman who conveyed the trunk from lodging-house to depot.

This extraordinary search failed to furnish so much as one definite clew, and the police department was absolutely in the dark.

The statement that Cox left the city disguised as a woman furnishes a very plausible explanation of these puzzling facts. If Cox took the part of a woman it is very easy to see why no expressman appeared and told of removing the trunk, for the men would naturally go over all their male customers of that morning and never think of the women whom they served. This would also be the case with the men who checked the trunk, the conductor who took Cox's ticket and the others with whom he came into close contact.

Other circumstances connected with the remarkable crime furnish still stronger evidence of the truth of the new theory. Cox was a "ladies' man" of notoriety, and numbered scores of frail females among his intimate acquaintances. The friend of Cox who states that Cox played woman, stated that a sister of Mrs. Pobanz, the woman with whom Cox's mistress took refuge after the crime, furnished Cox with complete female attire, and dressed him for the escape.

Cox was a man who could very easily impersonate a woman, being short in stature and with a fair, round and almost beardless face. Leaving as a woman also made it easier for him to take along his trunk, with his elaborate male wardrobe. It is conjectured that he maintained his character as a woman until well out of harm's way, when he could readily don male attire once more.

Oscar Bogue, the friend who harbored Cox in his bed the night after the murder, is brought under still stronger suspicion by the statement that he left as a woman. Bogue has steadily disclaimed any knowledge of the crime, but although strongly quizzed by the police, has furnished little or no information. He lay in bed when the expressman removed the trunk from his room, but declared his inability to identify the expressman. If Cox left as a woman he must have donned his attire before leaving the room, and before being seen by the expressman. In view of the fact that all the stories of Cox's suicide have proved groundless, the statement of Cox's erstwhile acquaintance is credited as the most plausible yet offered.

A Glance at the Field of Fresh Literature—What Authors are Saying and D[oing]

NEW BOOKS.

REVIEWS.

BY PROF. GUY CARLETON LEE,
Of Johns Hopkins University.

Assisted by Mitchell Carroll, Ph.D., of the Columbian University; Alfred Brittain, Ph.D., of Hobart College; Joseph C. Ayer, Ph.D., of Harvard University, and other distinguished critics connected with other leading colleges and universities.

HEART AND HEAD.

It is narrated that when Carlyle finished "The French Revolution," he said to his wife, "My Jeannie, lass, they have not had for 200 years any book that came more truly from a man's heart." It seems a strange speech; for what can the heart have to say in a matter of history? Yet there is in it an evident meaning, since we can at least understand that the great philosopher-historian meant that he had put himself into his work; that he had produced it at the cost of self-consumption; that a part of his own vitality had gone to its composition, and into its constitution. It was less his thought than his very self that permeated the pages; he had written from within, not from without. Thus the work was done from the heart.

Not for two centuries, Carlyle claimed, had the heart more truly spoken in a man's work; and, while the Sage of Chelsea, of course, did not mean to be accurate in his reference, merely taking 200 years as a figure of speech, there is yet some meaning in the selection of the period chosen. About two hundred years before the day of Carlyle, there had arisen in English letters a certain cult of artificiality. Daintiness and form had taken the place, to some degree, at least, of vigor and method; not art, but artisanship, had come to be most valued, and the effects survived for all time. Milton was superseded by Dryden and later by Pope; the Elizabethan dramatists fell into neglect in the popularity of Wycherly, Congreve, Farquhar, and the rest of the playwrights of the Restoration. The heart became as unfashionable an organ in literature as in sentiment and morals: the head was the ultimate court of appeal. Though this extreme brought the usual reaction, it was never entirely overthrown, and English letters suffered from its enduring influence.

Yet, at the time in which Carlyle had place, there was predominance of heart in writing. There were many fripperies, there was much artificiality; but, compared with the days which had died, there was virility and strength and individuality in admirable measure. Yet, the great writer claimed for his work that it was preëminent in its quality of heart-voice, as if he believed that such quality was not one that was characteristic of the literature of his time. That Carlyle was not very tolerant of his day, there can be no question; he himself said that he "could hear no voice but that from Concord," and to him there was a note of insincerity in the other voices, raised in whatever manner, that provoked his bitter contempt. Whether his strictures in this wise were well deserved is not part of our present inquiry; we are rather concerned with the question, "What, in this respect, would Carlyle have said of the literature of the present?"

We have skilled workmen; have we any artists? We have men whose intellects may challenge comparison, at least in average, with the product of almost any period, save the Elizabethan and the Middle Victorian; but what do they in turn produce? Read our modern poetry, our fiction, our philosophy, our essay, all work into which it is possible for individuality to enter, and see if there is not total absence of that quality which Carlyle called heart. It is all skillful, and it is all cold. It is all true to fact, and it is all unconvincing. It may move us at times to admiration, but never to enthusiasm; it may excite us, but it can never sway us. We recognize it, wittingly or unwittingly, as an appeal from intellect to intellect, not from heart to heart; we weigh it and judge it and appraise it, but we never accept it. It leaves us, as it finds us, cold and indifferent; it never passes through the brain to the heart, there to become an influence if not a creed, but it is deflected from its destined course, until, to use the well-known colloquialism, it "goes in one ear and comes out at the other." It does not truly reach us.

Lowell once wrote of Poe, in his "Fable for the Critics," that he has written some things far the best of their kind, but somehow the heart seems squeezed out by the mind;" and this criticism, of which all but the most virulent admirers of Poe must recognize the justice, is one that is applicable to the whole of our present-day literature. Brilliant some of it unquestionably is; but its brilliancy is of the surface. The line of Sir Philip Sydney,

"'Fool, said my Muse to me, look in thine heart and write,'"

is entirely neglected by our men and women of letters. Perhaps the rarest of gifts is the "seeing eye;" but this gift is utterly useless to its possessor unless he have the heart which shall enable him to interpret that which he sees, and so to utter the result that it shall make more than intellectual appeal. The writer must tell us that which he knows, and no more, if he is to win true success; but his knowledge must be of the heart, as well as of the brain, or it will prove worthless to his readers and to himself as well. It is in the ignoring of this truth that so many writers have held stark realism to be the proper method of fiction, and have endeavored by its means to win the ears of the reading public. For a time they su[cceed], if their work be artistic in method; but their works do not survive. The reason is not far to seek; these writers have made a cardinal error. They have considered only the outer aspects of their themes, and thus they have made but outward appeal. They have given no effort and effect of sympathy to their treatment, and they can find no sympathy in the hearts of their audience. "Very interesting," we say, and straightway forget all that has been told us in listening to the words of a later comer. It is an old story, that when Aeschines spoke to the Athenians, they said, "What a wonderful orator is Aeschines!" but when Demosthenes addressed them, they said, "Let us go out and fight Philip." The appeal of the one was to the intellect, and the intellect responded in its way; but the words of the other reached the great heart of the people, and it was stirred to action. We have many an Aeschines in these times; but we look in vain for a Demosthenes.

Even in the work of our poets there is the same absence of the quality of heart. Even though there are no great poets, the average of skill is very high; but there is never anything apparent behind the skill. In no poem that has appeared during the last decade or so is there the impression of inspiration, of words and thoughts rushing upon the poet in such tumultuous force that he is carried away by their tempest. The mechanism is always visible, and we always feel that the poet's eye, instead of "in a fine frenzy rolling," is carefully scanning his verse to insure its exactness of metrical accuracy—or is even anxiously consulting a dictionary in search of a rhyme. The work of the best of our versifiers is smooth and even and excellent in construction; it is of a literary quality in certain respects which is often absent from the poetry of the great masters of the past; but it is entirely heartless, utterly lifeless, and this is fatal. In this phenomenon may perhaps be found one cause of the failure of poetry to find popular approval.

The cause of the phenomenon itself is more difficult of discovery. It may be because in these latter days we are believers in the intellect as the ultimate tribunal, and that we are ashamed of permitting dominance of emotion. This is fast becoming a human characteristic, and it is quite possible that our literature is becoming affected by the prevalence of the theory. It is more probable, however, that our writers have been misled by a worship of fact merely as fact, and not as the expression of truth, and that they are thus entirely concerned with outward things and forget that the element of personality must always be injected into an appeal if it is to have power. They are content to become mere chroniclers, whether in fiction or poetry, or history, or philosophy; they are so absorbed in phenomena that they are entirely neglectful of noumena. It was not thus with Carlyle and the rest of the great men who wrote from their hearts. They dealt with facts indeed; but each fact was passed through the alembric of their own personalities and each came forth with meaning and appeal in its new aspect. Its constituents were in no wise changed; only its form was novel, and in its variance of presentation law its power to make for truth. Nor did such predominance of heart in utterance make for crudeness of form. No poet ever more truly wrote from himself than did Shelley, and no poet has ever given us such perfection of form. True, Shelley's appeal was limited, since his individuality produced that which was not congenial to the mass of men; but his work lives, and will live, and this is less owing to its beauty than to its expression of a personality which was inextricably blent with its form.

Only those who write from their hearts can put personality into their work; and only personality lives. That which might be done by any of a numerous class never survives; it must have the stamp of individuality if it is not to pass away and be forgotten. By some Carlyle is preferred to Emerson; by others, he of Concord is placed above him of Chelsea. But no one denies the greatness of both, for each and every of their utterances has the conviction of a strong personality expressed in highest terms. They wrote from their hearts and therefore live. And they find no rivals.

HISTORY AND BIOGRAPHY.

A Pretentious History.

THE TRUE HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION. By Sydney George Fisher. J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia.

We cannot help but admire—though lime confidence an author must have in himself who is able to include the word "True" in the title of his biographical or historical work. We hasten to add that there is no inherent reason why he should not do this, or why he should not honestly believe that he is including so much hitherto neglected material, or that he has been so honest in his adaptation of known facts, that he is warranted in suggesting invidious comparisons. After all, it is solely a matter of taste. As a matter of fact, every additional biography or history claims by inference to be truer than those which preceded it, else wherefore is it written? There is such a thing, however, as charity for one's predecessors. But we take it for granted that inasmuch as "The True History of the American Revolution" is one volume of a series by several authors, the selection of the title did not rest with the writer of the book. It is the result of the publisher's recognition of the keen necessity for tickling the curiosity of the prospective purchaser. Of course everybody will want to read a history—and much more, a biography—that is boldly claimed to be veracious. We are itching for something new under the sun.

Mr. Fisher says previous historians do no tell the whole story of the American Revolution. They purposely omit much that is essential, because it is not consonant with that patriotism which loves to dilate itself with the story of a high-minded, liberty-loving people rebelling against an intolerable condition in which everyhting reprehensible was on the other side. He says: "I cannot feel satisfied with any description of the Revolution which treats the desire for independence as a sudden thought, and not a long growth and development, or which assumes that every detail of the conduct of the British government was absurdly stupid, even from its own point of view, and that the loyalists were few in numbers and their arguments not worth considering. I cannot see any advantage in not describing in their full meaning and force the smuggling, the buying of laws from the Governors, and other irregular conduct in the colonies which led England to try to remodel them as soon as the fear of the French in Canada were removed." Mr. Fisher certainly makes out a good case in favor of his action in recalling the Revolutionists to the bar. He adduces much evidence to show that, as he says, "the Revolution was a much more ugly and unpleasant affair than most of us imagine." His account, for instance, of how the loyalists—who were far more numerous and respectable than is usually credited—were treated is a story which is calculated to undermine an American's pride in much of the personnel of the revolutionary party. Beginning this book with a prejudice which we are willing to confess, a careful reading has forced us to the conclusion that the author has made a distinct and valuable contribution to popularized American history. G. L. I.

Civil War Times.

CIVIL WAR TIMES. By Daniel Wait Howe. The Bowen-Merrill Company, Indianapolis.

The author of a new volume on the above subject quotes for the motif of his work the saying of Oliver Wendell Holmes: "The story of the Pilgrims may be told for a thousand anniversaries and the next year it will be fresh again." He claims the same justification for a retelling of the story of the Civil War. Nevertheless, in the making of new books, on a subject which has been abundantly treated so far as the number of volumes is concerned, the further justification is demanded of the author's having something new to contribute. The author has a right to tell his story, inasmuch as he was an eyewitness of the military operations of the Army of the Cumberland and an officer in that division. He says, truly, in his preface, that a colorless narrative of the Civil War period ignoring the political questions which are involved, would be of little value or interest. Equally unprofitable and uninteresting would be a mere partisan discussion of them. Mr. Howe claims to write impartially though without reserve; though he acknowledges that the former quality is not without its difficulties when attempted by one who took an active part during the Civil War times. The fact is we are strongly inclined to the opinion that no man who has fought in a war and has necessarily been subject to the passions and hatreds therein engendered, is capable of writing an impartial history of that struggle. When a man faces an enemy who is armed with a deadly weapon by which the life of the former is endangered, and the lives of his comrades taken, he naturally cultivates a prejudice against that enemy. Forty years are not sufficient in which to destroy that bias. If ever an impartial history of the Civil War is written it will be by one of a younger generation, who can calmly scan the documents, read the evidence, and judge without personal predilection. Mr. Howe tells his story with spirit, and it is frequently enlivened with the interest which personal knowledge gives. There is much also that will serve as pointers to the future historian. His chapter entitled "The Story Told by the Statistics," is a real public service. Out of the immense bulk of reports, records and documents of all kinds he has given in this concise form the most important figures, which are not otherwise easily accessible. D. P.

The Queens of England.

LIVES OF THE QUEENS OF ENGLAND. By Agnes Strickland. George Barrie & Son, Philadelphia.

One of the most sumptuous book revivals of the season is the publication in sixteen volumes, by Barrie & Son, of Agnes Strickland's "Lives of the Queens of England from the Norman Conquest." This publishing house is justly famed for its editions de luxe. We have seen many beautiful books bearing the name of Barrie, but nothing they have ever issued can reflect more credit on their artistic accomplishments than these reprints. There are only 1000 complete copies of this edition. It is on heavy Japanese vellum paper, embellished with title letters in colors, and is attractively bound in fine linen of deep red. The plates in this edition are of exceptional quality. They are from originals in private or State collections, and are reproduced in sets, one being in colors. For instance, there are three portraits of Elizabeth—the Princess Elizabeth, from Holbein's painting, now in Windsor Castle; the so-called Ermine Portrait of the Queen Elizabeth painted by F. Zacheri, in the possession of Marquis of Salisbury, Hatfield House; and Elizabeth in Old Age, from a painting by Marc Garrad, the elder, in Hampton Court. These, of course, are very fine, and are large enough to be of special value. Strickland's Queens of England are too well known to require any particular mention in connection with this consideration. This famous work was compiled by her from official records and other authentic documents private as well as public. Hers is probably the most readable account in existence of the English Queens. The vast amount of detail information and personal narrative which her pages afford is remarkable. Her style is clear and easy and well adapted to general reading. Art connoisseurs and lovers of limited editions will be delighted with these volumes. A. F.

Sea Fighters.

SEA FIGHTERS, FROM DRAKE TO FARRAGUT. By Jessie Peabody Frothingham. Charles Scribner's Sons Co., New York.

Just what may have led Jessie Peabody Frothingham to embark upon the sea of naval literature, belonging, as she does, to the non-combatant sex, we do not know. But she has ventured at a time when, judging by the volume of naval literature of one kind and another that is being put upon the market, there is a widespread interest in naval matters. The time is opportune if there were not so many others who had taken time by the forelock. We do not suppose that Miss Frothingham entered the lists with such a naval expert and experienced writer upon naval affairs as Capt. Mahan, whose book has lately been placed before the public, without realizing that she did not carry enough guns to take the fort of public approbation, as against the simultaneous assaults of the man behind the bigger guns. If the author seeks to compete with any lesser writers than the great tactician, she may justly expect her book to merit and to receive praise. Indeed, this is the true place of the work—quite a good second to the best, with a wide chasm between. The materials for a good naval history are more than ever accessible; our own government is now issuing a valuable series of volumes which include the naval records of the Confederacy. It is very apparent that Miss Frothingham has availed herself fully of the materials for her work, and has been able to construct a history much less technical than those written by the professional sea-fighters. As a popular and worthy story of sea heroes, her book will receive a cordial welcome in spite of the present abundance of such writings. The illustrations are stereotyped, but serve well enough for their purpose. W. P. A.

FICTION.

A Book of Strength.

WHAT MANNER OF MAN. By Edna Kenton. The Bobbs-Merrill Co., Indianapolis.

We believe that "What Manner of Man" is a book with a mission; and that mission is to carry a message of hope to worn-out book-reviewers and satiated readers—those who have come to believe that as far as novels are concerned "That which is is that which was," and that "that which has been" will inevitably be again. Save that her name is Edna Kenton, of the writer of this work we know nothing; for she has to her credit or discredit no long list of previous literary efforts. However, after reading the book, we can but think that Edna Kenton is a name temporarily assumed perhaps for the purpose of misleading as to the authorship of this particular work which bears no traces of the neophyte. "What Manner of Man" is a book of strength, though we have no doubt that many will question the merit of that strength; it is a production in which the writer might have overdrawn, but has not—one in the writing of which she has displayed rare discrimination. It makes the reader impatient of uncut leaves. The central figures are: Kirk Thayer, two-thirds artist, one-third brute; Mrs. Davenport, beautiful, worldly-wise, unconventional; and Clodah Rohan, perfect within and without, and completely innocent. Kirk Thayer is a genius and a successful genius at that; and from his infancy he has had none other gods than his art and himself. For the glory of the former he worked early and late; to the latter he offered up sacrifices regardless of their cost—to others. The friendship between him and Mrs. Davenport is truly a delightful thing to read about; but in real life (as in the book) it would undoubtedly cause much criticism the unpleasantness of which would be augmented by the uncertainty regarding the whereabouts or the actual existence of the lady's husband. Mrs. Davenport's indifference to conventionalities and public opinion arise partly from her assured social position, but mainly from an easy conscience. Even so, and notwithstanding her affection for Thayer and her appreciation of his talent, she refuses to listen to him when he would persuade her to pose for his masterpiece—"The Christian Maiden." But Thayer's gods must receive their offerings, even though the sacrifice involved be a human one; and he goes in search of a model. He finds her on an isolated, almost unknown island of Great Britain—Clodah Rohan, the daughter of the virtual king of the settlement. Thayer has no intention of permitting so insignificant a thing as a wedding ceremony to stand in the way of his artistic aspirations. So, much to the surprise of the reader, he marries Clodah and carries her off to his London home. One can almost see the impatience with which he tolerates the outward evidences of the unsuspecting girl's great love for him. He looks upon her as a beautiful piece of mechanism, a stepping-stone to the heights to which he would climb; and yet for nearly a month he succeeds in keeping her in blissful ignorance of his real design in marrying her. With a masterly hand, Edna Kenton depicts the rending of the veil of illusion, and its fatal result. At the end, the reader is left somewhat in doubt as to the permanency of Thayer's repentance of the awful tragedy caused by his selfishness. The question which the reading of the book inspires is not "What Manner of Man" was Thayer, but "What manner of woman" is the writer of this work, which, we predict, will cause something of a sensation. C. S.

Six Fanciful Stories.

SIX TREES. By Mary E. Wilkins Freeman. Harper & Bros., New York.

In "Six Trees," by Mary E. Wilkins Freeman, none of the stories is strong. All give the impression of leisure-moment work; of having been turned off for the mere pleasure of it—a sort of mental recreation. But they are fanciful tales—unique, like everything that Mrs. Freeman does, and possessed of a certain charm which lingers long in the memory of the reader. The predominant characteristic of the products of this gifted author's pen is their quality of growing upon you. The spirit of the story may be distant at the reading, but it comes nearer as the situations and personalities return and re-return with new force and interest. Mrs. Freeman has searched out all that is quaint and odd in New England, not sparing even the ghosts. The stories in "Six Trees" are no exception to the general rule of her fiction. They are unusual and, to those who appreciate pastoral narratives, are fairly entertaining. To quote from the publisher's notice:

"In these sketches Mrs. Freeman blends the associations of the New England trees with the life of the people depicted, showing how intimately one is bound up with the other."

The analogy between the trees and the leading characters of the story is not always as clear as critical readers might wish; yet no fault need be found with this, for if the tree had not been used a less interesting figure might have been employed to stand in its place. Possibly the most readable story in the collection is that woven about the elm tree. The other five trees are the great pine, the balsam fir, the Lombardy poplar and the apple tree. The illustrations, by Broughton, are in dainty colors, and form one of the most attractive features of the volume. J. H.

MRS. FREMONT OLDER,
Author of "The Socialist and the Prince."

A Rural Tale.

LOVE WITH HONOR. By Charles Marriott. John Lane, New York.

"Love with Honor" might have been a great book, but it isn't; in point of fact, it is a rather tiresome one. It gives an impression of confusion of ideas, and leads to the belief that the writer did not carry out his original intention regarding it. And we fail to see what the title has to do with the book, or the book with the title. The weakness of the work lies in the commonplaceness of its plot, for the sin with which it deals is almost as old as the world, and as the foundation of novels has been worn threadbare. We feel sure that Charles Marriott, who is already favorably known as the author of a book which reached the 18,000 mark, has not done himself justice in his latest effort. It is the story of the moral fall of a weak woman and of the misery thereby entailed upon the innocent and the guilty, alike. An old, old story, this; but Mr. Marriott has at least put behind it a delightful background. He gives us glimpses of village and rural life that make one long to leave the stones of the city far behind. He introduces us to workmen who are artists, and permits us to revel in some of the most charming dialect that we have ever heard or read. The three "work'us" children are as unique as their names—Mary Meshach, Sarah Shadrach and Annie Abednego—and Anthony Pembridge is not unworthy of Dickens; indeed, there is in the book much that reminds one of that incomparable writer. And Mr. Marriott has spoiled the effect of all these excellencies by an ordinary theme, an ordinary heroine, and an extraordinary and unnatural ending. We can but believe that the plot was made for the background, not vice versa. Fortunately for Mr. Marriott, there will undoubtedly be many who will view his book in an entirely different light—who will see in it everything that is delightful and nothing that is otherwise. About the author himself, however, there can be but one opinion; he has an enviable future before him. B. P. O.

MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS.

Ready-made Illustrations.

SCIENTIFIC SIDELIGHTS. Compiled by James C. Fernald. Funk & Wagnalls Company, New York.

We have here a large volume (917 pages) of ready-made illustrations for preachers and public speakers generally. "Scientific Sidelights" it is called, and as the title page sets forth, provision is herein made for the illustration of thousands of topics by selections from standard works of the masters of science throughout the world. The value of the book for this purpose is very greatly increased by the comprehensive indexes which include thirty thousand topics and cross references. A glance over these topics shows that there is no subject about which a preacher would be likely to speak at any time or under any circumstances that is not referred to somewhere in this vast reservoir of illustrative matter. The classification is sometimes rather obscure. For instance, there is the topic "Ocean Depths." Among the cross references under it we find "Almshouse" and "Belief." One naturally wonders how such sociological and theological matters as these are to be found in "Ocean Depths." Turning to the reference indicated for the first, we find an item from Shaler's "Sea and Land," showing that the ancient geologic forms have representatives in deep sea. In regard to the second topic, "Belief;" on looking that up, we discover that it has nothing to do with the creed at all. It is simply a quotation from Hixon's "Fauna of the Deep Sea," in which it is stated that Sir James Ross was confident of the existence of deep-sea life. This is somewhat confusing. And all through the indexes there are numerous instances of such infelicitous choice of titles, rendering it difficult for the reader to judge from those references as to what he may find in the text. This applies principally to the cross references. The general topics are sufficiently clear.

The great merit of this work consists in the fact that the reader may be certain that he is getting his scientific illustrations from the best specialists on that particular subject. Consequently, the material found herein may be absolutely relied upon. It is a dictionary, not a work that one would study for one's information. It is one of those books which are adapted to the use of public speakers who wish to brighten up their discourse with illustration, and at the same time give their audiences the impression that they have a greater knowledge than they really possess. An orator, for instance, talking on the subject of heredity, if this were the only book in his library, and if he had not had the least training in science, nevertheless could quote brilliantly from Dr. Carpenter's "Mental Physiology," Fiske's "Destiny of Man," Clarke's "History of Astronomy," Newman's "Bacteria," Darwin's "Origin of Species," and Maudsley's "Body and Mind," and thus create an impression of his learning that would astonish his hearers beyond measure. Anyone desiring to attain such a result will find the present volume invaluable and admirably adapted. The compiler in his preface says, "Of the use of scientific illustrations in speaking or writing, it may be said that they are in harmony with the spirit of the age, which is preëminently scientific; that they have not the hackneyed character of the numerous popular anecdotes or of the stock illustrations long current in classic literature, and that they especially impress the thoughtful mind as dealing with facts. . . . The mind is there upon sure ground, and the use of such facts and illustrations gives a sense of certainty and reality to the thoughts there employed to illustrate." At the same time we must confess to a prejudice in favor of the idea that a speaker had better illustrate out of that which he knows and has seen than to depend on scraps of science picked up like potsherds by the way, and which after all is only pretended knowledge. F. L. O.

A Manly Boy.

THE NEW BOY AT DALE. By Charles Edward Rich. Harper & Bros., New York.

We confess to having enjoyed reading "The New Boy at Dale;" we make the admission somewhat shamefacedly, for the book in question is intended for very young people. It seems to us that at the present day an unfair proportion of the good and attractive things of literature are intended for these same young people; and right here we wish to suggest to those who have reached and passed years of discretion, that they will find some productions not unworthy their attention listed as juveniles. Giovanni Martin, the hero of "The New Boy at Dale"—or, rather, that boy himself—is a somewhat remarkable but not impossible young person. When we first meet him he is Giovanni Giocioili, the supposed son of an Italian fruit vender. Because he can no longer bear to witness the cruelty of the old Padre toward Maria, his companion in misery, he and the girl and a most sagacious monkey steal away under cover of night. On the outskirts of the city they fall in with Bolton's circus; Bob Martin, the star acrobat of that organization, becomes their legal protector, and Giovanni and Maria are speedily put under training. From that time onward, Giovanni has a steady run of good luck. As the result of one of his adventures, he is brought to the notice of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton, who are, of course, wealthy; at their instigation he is placed at Dale, a preparatory school for boys. And then comes the delightful part of the book. The average schoolboy is an interesting phenomenon, but when at boarding school and thus entirely free from parental surveillance, he becomes doubly so. In this volume, the skirmishes with Weston, the rival school, the pugilistic triumphs, the boat and bicycle races, and all sorts of escapades and feats of skill, are exciting to a degree which will enthrall youthful readers—and some old ones. And the boyish idiosyncrasies of speech are true to life and, therefore, quaintly humorous. Of course, Giovetti, with his trained muscles and native courage, is the leading man of every performance. All in all, he is an admirable young man—not goody-goody, not in the least, but just manly. The only fault that we find with the book is that the author—Charles Edward Rich—tells us so little of the interesting monkey who makes his entrée and likewise his exit in the early chapters. K. K.

OTHER REVIEWS.

BY A TIMES REVIEWER.

A New California Writer.

THE SOCIALIST AND THE PRINCE. By Mrs. Fremont Older. Funk & Wagnalls, New York. (Price $1.50.)

Two novels by authors to whom California may lay some claim are among the most recent publications. One of these is by Mrs. Fremont Older, wife of a San Francisco newspaper man. Its story concerns itself with early agitation against the Chinese in San Francisco, and the wavering of a girl's heart between two men, the Socialist leader of the agitation and his opposite in type, an Italian nobleman, who disarms the American prejudice against titled foreigners by his readiness to abandon country and family rights for sake of his love. In Theodosia Peyton, a girl with as many generations of culture behind her, and as proud of her lineage, as the Prince himself, the spoiled daughter of wealth, beautiful, capricious, used to the adoration of many lovers and fond of the excitement of it, yet beneath her caprice possessed of both intellect and heart, and quick of wit as she is winsome, Mrs. Older has given us a charming and realistic picture of a high-bred woman, drawn with a woman's understanding of her sex. It is the intellect of the girl that causes her to hesitate between her two lovers—the demand of the exceptional type for an exceptional type—this and the fascination of her own power. Two kinds of force appeal to Theodosia and compel her—the passion of the Italian and the masterful strength of the labor agitator; and each in turn overwhelms her, until she finds herself practically betrothed to two men. In Stryne, the Socialist, Mrs. Older has created an unusual type of man—a gypsy in his wanderings, without knowledge of his own parentage, but a gentleman by instinct, self-educated, but well-read. His figure does not stand out quite as distinctly as does that of Theodosia Peyton; one sees him at times forceful, courageous, doggedly determined, a masterly leader of men; and again one sees him adaptive, faltering, yielding. In one scene he is the hard, practical, almost brutal man of the people; in another he makes his appearance as a graceful society man. Even his physical characteristics do not stand out clearly before the mind's eye of the reader, and one is inclined to wonder whether Mrs. Older's conception of him did not vary from time to time. At least, in so far as he appears self-contradictory to Mrs. Older's audience, he lacks of perfection as a literary creation; for, despite the many-sidedness of human nature, there is always a thread of self-consistency running through it all, and it is a part of the art of the novelist to show us this.

There are a number of striking situations in the book, and they are all well handled. Two in particular stand out from the rest by their dramatic values. One is at the opening of the story, where Stryne, leading a demonstration against Nob Hill, advances alone to the steps of Col. Peyton's residence, where a party is going on, and is suddenly confronted by a vision of Theodosia, who draws aside a curtain and stands calm, beautiful, smiling, in the embrasure of the window, addressing the agitator to thank him for the honor he has just done her father in ironically making him an officer in the labor organization he has organized; the other scene is where Stryne, standing with Theodosia in the storm, compels her to bare her head and shoulders to it, and stand thus with him until she is drenched, in symbol of their future life together.

Gertrude Atherton has written that this is to be one of the great books of the year. Whether or not the prediction is fulfilled the story is certainly one of unusual strength, although not entirely free from crudities. The work in the character study of Theodosia Peyton will very nearly if not quite rank with that of Mrs. Humphry Ward's Julie le Breton, and it is as much more charming than Julie as the American woman is more charming than the English, as the Gibson girl is more charming than the heavy-jawed maidens Du Maurier used to draw for Punch. The end of the book, where Stryne is killed leading an Italian mob, does not strike one as quite as good as the rest of it; it is dramatic to bring Theodosia and her Prince in at the death, and have them recognize him by the symbolic scar across the forehead, but hardly in accord with realism to take Stryne all the way from San Francisco to Rome in order to accomplish this purpose.

A Melodramatic Tale.

LEES AND LEAVEN. By Edward W. Townsend. McClure, Phillips & Co., New York. (Price $1.50.)

In "Lees and Leaven," Edward W. Townsend of "Chimmie Fadden" fame, formerly of San Francisco, has given us a melodramatic tale in which virtue is rewarded and vice punished with an even-handed justice to which the attention of Providence might with propriety be respectfully called. In part the story encourages the reader to hope for consistent character study and realistic event, but the hope is not realized. The plot is not ill-planned, but it is badly carried out, and the character study is of the quality best appreciated by the galleries. The story, for this reason, may succeed upon the stage, where it is to be tried, as other of Mr. Townsend's productions have succeeded there before; but it has no large literary value.

The plot turns on the non-delivery of a deed and the sudden death of the man to whom the property is deeded, before his family have learned of the transaction. The land deeded becomes of great value through the discovey of mineral deposits, and the party of the first part to the deed yields to the temptation to retain possession of the property. This act of dishonesty is at length discovered and the rightful heirs, a very gifted newspaper man and his sister, receive their own, while the man who would have robbed them goes back with his family to the old farm on which he started.

Mrs. Ward's New Book.

LADY ROSE'S DAUGHTER. By Mrs. Humphry Ward. Harper & Bros., New York. (Price $1.50.)

Mrs. Ward's latest heroine is the illegitimate daughter of an English noblewoman who eloped with the man she loved, and was prevented by her husband from procuring a divorce and legitimizing her child. The daughter turns up as a companion to an elderly English dowager who at first makes a friend and protégé of her, then becomes insanely jealous as she finds her winning away the attention of all her guests. Julie le Breton, as the girl calls herself, is a gifted diplomatist, fond of the sensation of power, fond of all the luxury and attention that have come to surround her, and perfectly at home in the midst of it all. Through an indiscreet move she brings the older woman's jealousy to fever heat and is dismissed. Foremost among her friends is an American duchess, whom Mrs. Ward makes very pretty, very willful and very warm-hearted, and this young woman, a great newspaper man, and an heir to a dukedom, vie with one another in rendering services to Julie in her distress—finding her a home, starting her on a literary career (which she appears to assume without any preparation and without difficulty) and in other ways making her path an easy one. Her own grandfather, the versatile, gay, old Lord Lackington, whom she remarkably resembles, becomes at this time very much interested in the lonely girl, and she reveals to him the fact of their relationship, of which he had not previously known. Deeply touched and attracted to her, he yet cannot forget the disgrace attaching to her history sufficiently to give her shelter under his own roof; nor can her few staunch friends make any real place for her in English society. She loves an attractive but somewhat worthless man who has before he met her become engaged to her own cousin, daughter of her mother's sister, and is determined to marry this girl on account of her wealth and title. But he comes to love Julie as he never has believed he could love any woman, and under the dilemma of his engagement, proposes to her, on the eve of his departure to a position in the East, that she give herself to him for a few last days in Paris. Shut out, as Julie at this time finds herself, from all that seemed to her most worth while, embittered by the attitude of society toward her, and with no especial belief in the marriage ceremony, she yields to the proposal, and is saved only by the foresight of her other devoted lover, Delafield, the man in line for a dukedom. On the day of her departure from England, Lord Lackington is stricken with mortal illness and asks for her; and Delafield, learning that she has gone to Paris, suspects her purpose, manages to intercept her, and brings her back to England to her grandfather's deathbed, and afterward begs her to give herself the protection of his name and brotherly aid. In return he will ask nothing, and they two will live as brother and sister. After long hesitation, Julie accepts this offer; and in the [illegible] man she has [illegible]

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NEW MAGAZINE.

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PEOPLE AND THINGS.

William E. D. Scott, ...The Story of a Bird Lover," ...published on March 2... ...Company, is the Curator ... ...at Princeton University. ...ture of his equipment for ...bird life is his "laboratory." ...birds. It is composed of ...his own house, in which ...hundred live birds, native ...The collection is primarily ...pose of conducting ... ...may lead to a better ... ...birds out of doors, and ...which their life presents ...are absolutely tame and ...exhibit strong attachment ...His book tells with ... ...the story of his life, of ...study and love birds, of ...investigations by which ...his great knowledge of ...nature, and of his true ...tle-known parts of this ...

The Abbey Press of ... ...avenue, New York City, ...publish a book entitled ..."The Detective," by Jo... ...stead of Dubuque, Iowa, ...Gov. Hempstead. Mr. ... ...attained fame in various ...won the first prize, ...Zandt, for the best ... ...in marble. It was cast ...Vermont marble. The ...prize was again taken by ...Van Zandt offered ... ...penses for six years' ...Paris. Mr. Hempstead ...ferred a literary ... ...spoken of highly as a ... ...of numerous short ...

The Macmillan Co... ...a small circular, appe... ...people of the country ...selves in the removal ...books. The circular ...duty, if ever desirable, ...no longer needed by ...American writers, ...little to revenue in ...the cost of collection ...detriment to scholarly ...kinds.

NOTORIOUS OUTLAW.

CHICAGO, March 2... ...lard, sought by the police ...tinents for years for a ...robbery committed in ...night worsted in a ... ...two detectives on a ...With him were arrested ...ney, charged with ...throughout the country ...Moffatt, with whom ...to have operated in Co... ...which preceded the ... ...men caused a panic ...sengers of the street ...several women were ...

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DO NOT DESIRE IMPROVEMENT OF WEST FIRST STREET.

Plat Fault with Movement for Grading and Sidewalking the Gap Through Embankment Between Hill and Olive Streets—Path Good Enough, They Say.

...ction of the long-drawn-out litiga... ...over the opening of First street ...Hill and Olive streets are re... ...ed in a petition that is circulated for ...provement of the street in the ...named.

...This was when the cutting of a big ...through the high ridge just west of ...street was a burning question. ...as far back as 1889 there was liti... ...in the courts over the desire of ...city to afford free circulation ...one of the main east and west ...That was before Los Angeles ...assumed airs so metropolitan as ...that now prevail, and the princi... ...objection came from dwellers on ...of the ridge, who did not fancy ...ing into an abyss to reach the ...of the city.

...the city's chattels on the chain ...began to delve an opening ...the high embankment there ...arose loud and long from those ...lived on top of the hill and who ...no way of reaching the level of ...street without the use of a long ...and the municipality found itself ...involved in a number of injunction ...suits dragged through the courts ...for years or more. Finally there ...was a truce of legal hostilities. The ...was cut, and far up in the em... ...near the residences of the re... ...citizens. Some sort of a truce ...was patched up whereby the street was ...left in a half-finished condition, and ...for the time there has been but a ...narrow passageway, that resembles a ...bridle road, between the business ...portion on the east and the improved ...portion on the west.

...Supervisor of the City Engi... ...declare that this is one of ...the most unimproved streets ...with a wide radius of the ...curve. There are no sidewalks ...and the roadway is rougher ...and more forbidding than a poor coun... ...highway. On the north side of the ...deep embankment juts out for ...fifty feet or more, and at the top of ...the bank, projecting far over the side... ...walk, stands the Highland Villa, a ...which is reached by a tortuous ...path from Hill street.

...During the past few months there ...have been improvements of a substan... ...character on West First street, and ...both to the north and south avenues, ...which abound has arisen for a direct ...and unobstructed outlet to the east. ...Property and a number of residences ...have been built and the residents of ...the district have raised a pro... ...against the necessity of passing ...over cliff-path in their journeys ...to and fro.

...Where the street widened to its ...present sixty-eight feet, and they ...say that the hills and curbs where now ...there are but gullies and hard... ...sides.

...The street is widened the founda... ...of the Highland Villa will be un... ...and as the building is not ...safe above, grave fears are ...felt that it may crash down into the ...street. Finally, the owners of the ...property do not relish the prospect, and ...there are other protestants who object ...to the scheme that will be entailed ...by the proposed improvements.

...The backers of the petition hope to ...secure the signatures of a majority of ...property owners in favor of the ...scheme, but their opponents are ...active in their endeavor to ...defeat the improvement.

EDWIN EXPLORES.

Government to Investigate Colorado, and will Probably Advocate Improvement.

...Major Jadwin, United States ...Engineer Corps, has just returned from ...an exploration of the upper part ...of the Cañon of the Colorado ...between Bioville and El Dorado, ...Nevada, and separated by a ...distance of about seventy miles. With ...him were Capt. Mellon and ...Lieut. Jadwin, and this constituted the ...exploring party. The purpose of ...the trip was an investigation of the up... ...river possibilities for navigation ...purposes, it being the intention ...of the government to spend a considerable ...sum for channel and other improvements, if the report is favorable.

...Major Jadwin refuses to divulge any ...information concerning the country he has ...explored, as he is not permitted to ...make such information public before ...his report reaches the proper ...authorities in Washington. He said, ...however, that the scenery in this part of ...the Colorado is grand beyond description, ...and gave awesome than ...the Grand Cañon, which are more ...frequently visited, and advertised. ...Several days were spent in the ...descent of the river in the swift-running little ...boats, through great silent, parapeted ...gorges more than 2000 feet in height, ...in many places actually over-...hanging the river.

...The country here almost uninhabited. There is no railroad within ...many miles; there are almost no ...roads, the country is rough and for... ...only the majesty of nature ...greets the visitor. A few itinerant ...Indians are the only white men ...seen. Thirty-five miles above ...the Grand Cañon terminates. ...Here for the most part is bar... ...but an attempt has been made to ...farm in any considerable scale. ...There are just one or two per... ...sons in the whole stretch. ...Jadwin made one of the first ...explorations some years ago, and ...made one or two other par... ...ties sent in. Capt. Meyler ...followed the same conditions ...as to the river is navigable for ...almost most of the distance, ...save for boulders, rapids, and ...cataracts, which should be ...removed the way before there ...can be practicable navigation."

...Major Jadwin did not express ...himself as to the advisability of ...the project. It seems probable that ...the engineers will not favor the project ...as against it. Capt. Meyler, ...however, did not favor the project ...at all.

SECESSION.

Say They'll Leave Council Rocked by Band and Go to the City.

...Those who have become dis... ...affairs at the Hewes ...Heights and Los Angeles ...propose to have clever plans up ...their sleeves to celebrate their leave ...taking. It looks as if they ...would have a couple or two on their ...hands prepared for them ...when they market at Third street ...and Broadway. Apparently they ...are very considerate of the ...Hewes ...Councilmen yesterday gave ...them a send-away and offered to

Character in the Gait

Yes, Phillips Brooks said he could tell an insured man by his step, and when a man is insured *amply* in The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York, he says by his bearing: "I am insured in the strongest company, and I do not worry about the future of my family or my business if I should die."

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"I tell you," said he, "when all the boys are gone from Hewes, it will certainly look pretty dead down there. Do you know what they propose to do when they leave? Well, sir, this is the scheme: They want to leave Ninth and Los Angeles streets in a long procession, headed by a band. While they pack up their belongings and strip their stalls, the band is to play a lot of funeral marches and dirges. Then, when everything is loaded into the wagons, the band will lead the procession up through town along Spring street, playing all sorts of two-steps and lively music, and finally the whole crowd will wind up at the market on Third and Central, where the band will play 'Home, Sweet Home.' Yes, sir, these are the present plans, and I'll bet you a new hat that they are carried out."

The above information is "important if true."

WANTED IN ST LOUIS.

Former Chief Clerk in Fashionable Hotel Arrested Here on Charge of Grand Larceny.

Alvin W. Townley Lawrence, well-dressed and apparently well-educated, was arrested yesterday afternoon by the detectives as a fugitive from justice. He is wanted in St. Louis on a charge of grand larceny, and will be held until an officer can come here from the Missouri metropolis to take him back for trial. He has admitted his identity, but not his guilt of the crime charged.

About two weeks ago the police received a circular from Col. Mathew Kiely, Chief of Police of St. Louis, bearing a picture of Lawrence and asking that he be arrested on a charge of grand larceny. It was stated that while acting as chief clerk at the West End Hotel, a fashionable house, he had stolen a large sum of money and left the city. Later, additional information was received to the effect that Lawrence was here, and was passing under an assumed name, which was merely a transposition of his real name.

Detectives Hawley and Auble were assigned to the case, and yesterday they met Lawrence on the street, and recognizing him by his picture, placed him under arrest. He was locked up, and the St. Louis authorities were communicated with. A telegram was received stating that an officer would start immediately to take him back for trial. This arrest makes five fugitives from justice who have been captured in Los Angeles since Sunday.

RAILROAD NOTES.

The Traction Company is doing some much-needed street repair work along the tracks on Third street, between Hill and Broadway.

C. C. Clifford of the Union Pacific and L. M. Fletcher of the Missouri Pacific came forth from their San Francisco quarters yesterday to look over the local field.

Tour No. 23 of the Raymond & Whitcomb excursions will arrive in Los Angeles this afternoon, via the Santa Fé.

J. A. Monroe, Union Pacific freight and traffic manager, is here from Omaha.

Jay W. Adams of the Nickel Plate returns north today.

John D. Rockefeller left Pasadena for the Grand Cañon yesterday over the Santa Fé. At Williams he will be joined by John D., Jr., who has been touring Mexico. They will both return to Pasadena within a few days.

J. J. Byrne, general passenger agent of the Santa Fé, is back from San Francisco.

IONIAN SOCIETY.

The Ionian Society of the Commercial High School installed officers Friday afternoon. Miss Randolph gave a recitation. Vanus Blundell treated current events. Plummer Montgomery played a violin solo, and Mr. Fletcher recited.

ALL college students and all their friends will be interested in an article in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday on "Dormitory Life" as it is lived at Stanford University.

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THERE will not be that crowding and confusion always connected with the larger openings, and you will enjoy the quiet freedom of our modern fashion parlors in a way that you will appreciate. You will find the styles most exclusive and our prices eminently right.

Prices of Wonderful Pulling Power for Saturday.

Items of Special Interest to Every Woman.

LADIES' KID GLOVES—A real kid glove, two clasp and single row embroidery, an excellent wearing and perfect fitting glove, finished with picque or open seams. Colors black, brown, red, beaver, champagne, and white. $1.25 quality. Opening Price..... 95c

FANCY RIBBONS—Fancy ribbons in a handsome gauze weave, full 3½ inches wide; in white and black, navy, lavender, scarlet, pink, blue, and cream. Saturday at, per yard..... 15c

FANCY TAFFETA RIBBONS—Extra fine quality, full 4 inches wide, soft and beautiful. Exceptionally nice for neck wear. Comes in pretty corded and Dresden patterns; all the popular shades. Opening price, per yard..... 30c

SPRING WAISTS 89c—See our Saturday bargain waist at 89c. It comes in neat percale, in white and black stripes, also polka-dots in blue with white dots, and white with black dots. Full sleeve, neat stock and tie. Also pretty white lawn voile effect. Some most charmingly tucked; all carefully made; a waist you often pay $1.00 for. Our Opening price..... 50c

LADIES' HOSIERY—Ladies' black hose at 12½c a pair. This is a good fast black, fine lace hose, extra spliced heel and toe, fine finish. You cannot find an equal anywhere at the price. Saturday at per pair..... 12½c

LADIES' LACE HOSE at 3 for 50c—A fine lace, fast black, lisle thread, spliced heel and toe, extra good quality. Saturday, special at 3 for..... 50c

PETCALE WRAPPERS 69c—Women's nice wrappers, good quality percale, in floral and striped effects, full bishop sleeve, neat turn-over collar and well lined waist. Nice and full and comfortable. Worth considerably more. Opening price..... 69c

LADIES' VESTS—Ladies' Vests at 25c each. A fine ribbed, cotton vest in white. High neck and long or short sleeves; pants to match. Umbrella style. Extra value, per garment..... 25c

LADIES' FINE SWISS RIBBED VESTS—In white. Low neck and no sleeves; nicely taped neck and arms. Each 15c, or 2 for..... 25c

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Special Sale of Tablets.

1000 Tablets of the 10, 12½, and 15c qualities at the very low price of 5c each, for Saturday. They come in both note and commercial sizes, from 50 to 100 pages to each tablet. Special Saturday at..... 5c

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The enormous purchases made by Mr. Lowman on his recent bargain-hunting trip have made the past week's sales the biggest (excepting Christmas weeks) in our history—proving that people find values to back the advertising.

$1.00 for $3.00 and $4.00 Hats

Hats that we ordinarily sell at $3 and $4—no fictitious valuations quoted in a Lowman ad. The truth is strong enough for us.

If you've any use for a new hat, may as well save a dollar or two. The style you want is here, be it soft hat or derby, black or colored.

75c for $1.00 to $2.00 Fancy Shirts

Mr. Lowman picked up over a hundred dozen new, stylish, high grade fancy Shirts at a shamefully low price. They're to be sold at 75c—the pleated bosoms as well as the plain. Not one in the lot that isn't a good big dollar value. Most of them beat the best you can get elsewhere at $1.50. Some are actually worth $2.

12c for 25c and 50c Neckwear

Strings and bows only—but such luxurious silks! Mighty few stores show their equals at half a dollar. Not one among them that isn't worth a quarter.

95c for Underwear Worth Treble

This isn't a New York purchase, it's a clean-up of all our odds and ends. Light, medium and heavy weights in half-wool, all-wool, silk-and-wool and fleeced garments that we've sold right along at $1.25, $1.50, $2, and up to $5. Longer you wait, the harder it will be to find your size in the better grades.

25c for Half-Dollar Neckwear

Yes, even better than the average 50c neckwear—choicer silks, richer colors, smarter patterns—away ahead of anything ever before offered in this town, by us or anybody else, for two bits.

75c for Barbers' $1.50 to $2.00 Coats

Barkeepers' coats as well, and waiters' white and black jackets—the garments sold nearly everywhere at $1.50 and $2, here now at 75c.

$2.98 for $5.00 Bath Robes

Finer materials, choicer patterns, and richer colorings than you'll find anywhere else in town at $5—go the rounds and see for yourself.

If we could have made this offering at Christmas time, the lot wouldn't have lasted a day. But a man would appreciate one tomorrow just as highly as on Christmas morning.

25c for 50c Half Hose

No house in America sells finer goods than Arnold, Constable & Co., of New York. This is one of their lines of import samples—the cheapest of them retailing in New York at 35c, the majority of them at 50c. Fine Maco cotton and Lisle-thread in an unending variety of fancy effects and solid colors. All sizes for early comers.

$1.95 for $5.00 Smoking Jackets

Left-overs from Christmas stock—left over because they were a little too light weight for winter wear.

That's what makes them such tremendous bargains now—they're just the weight a man wants from now till next winter.

$1.40 for $2.50 Fancy Vests

Now's the chance for you to indulge—two new, stylish, correctly-cut vests at a trifle over the usual cost of one.

35c for Rich Silk Handkerchiefs

Hemstitched Handkerchiefs of the fine quality silks, sold in the best stores at 50c and 75c. Some are plain white, some have beautiful colored borders.

50c for $1.00 and $1.50 Shirts

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UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LOS Angeles, Cal., March 14, 1903.

To all whom it may concern:

WHEREAS, by letter "F" of February 28th, 1903, the Hon. Commissioner of the General Land Office has directed that there be restored to the public domain with the exceptions hereinafter named, all lands designated as Sections 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, 31 and 35, falling within the conflicting place or granted limits of the forfeited grant to the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad Company and of that made to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company by the Act of July 27, 1866, and directed that a day be set for such restoration.

Now, therefore, we hereby fix Monday, the fifteenth day of June, 1903, at 9 o'clock a.m. as the day upon which said lands will be subject to entry at this office.

The exceptions above referred to are as follows: N½, N½ S.E.¼ and S.W.¼ section 3, T. 6 N., R. 6 W. All section 7, N.¼, N.E.¼ section 7, T. 7 N., R. 10 W. All sections 3, 7, 15, 19, 23, 27, 31, and 35, T. 7 N., R. 10 W. All section 3, N.½, section 7, N.½, section 11, T. 7 N., R. 11 W. All section 3, N.½, section 7, N.½, section 11, T. 7 N., R. 12 W., N.E.¼, N.½ N.W.¼, N.½ S.E.¼, section 3, N.½ N.E.¼, section 11, T. 7 N., R. 13 W. All sections 19, 27, 31 and 35, T. 1 N., R. 19 W. All sections 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, 31 and 35, T. 2 N., R. 11 W. All sections 15, 19, 23, 27, 31 and 35, T. 3 N., R. 12 W. All sections 23 and 25, T. 4 N., R. 17 W., S.E.¼, section 11, T. 9 N., R. 1 W. all San Bernardino Base and Meridian.

Notice is hereby given to all prior applicants for any portion of said restored lands, whatever the character of the claim asserted, that their applications confer no rights upon them, and the same are by this notice rejected and the lands will be opened to entry and disposal on the day set herein without regard to such applications; and such applicants are further notified that they must present new applications for the protection of their rights, if any they have, and that such new applications will not be received until said 15th day of June, 1903, the day upon which this restoration takes effect.

A. J. CROOKSHANK, Register.
ARTHUR W. KINNEY, Receiver.

Treasury Department.

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

WASHINGTON (D. C.) February 7th, 1903.

WHEREAS, BY SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The Farmers' & Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles" in the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, and State of California, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking; now, therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Farmers' & Merchants' National Bank of Los Angeles" in the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, and State of California, is authorized to commence the business of banking as provided in section fifty-one hundred and sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States. In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this seventh day of February, 1903. (Seal: Comptroller of the Currency.) WILLIAM B. RIDGELY, Comptroller of the Currency. No. 6617.

Oceanside, Cal.

$25,000.00 Gold Bonds.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the city of Oceanside, California, until 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 14th, 1903, for $10,000.00 wharf improvement bonds, 20 years serial, 5 per cent. semi-annual, dated March 3rd, 1903; $15,000.00 water works improvements bonds, 40 years' serial, 5 per cent. semi-annual, dated March 3rd, 1903. Bids must be accompanied by certified check for 5 per cent. par value of bonds.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Hearing of franchise petitions and protests was postponed one week by the Board of Public Works yesterday.

It was decided to grant a spur-track privilege to the Llewellyn Iron Works.

Councilman Todd had an encounter with a constituent yesterday.

Two men were yesterday held for murder in Justice Chambers's court, and one for manslaughter.

Venders of "doctored" cream were fined by Justice Austin.

Thomas H. Nichols has sued the Traction for $6300 damages.

Albert Bell was again committed for insanity yesterday.

AT THE CITY HALL.

FRANCHISE HEARING POSTPONED A WEEK.

STREET RAILWAY STRUGGLE AGAIN SEEMS IMMINENT.

Attorneys for Rival Interests Gather at Session of the Board of Public Works—Traction Company Will Renew Application for Pasadena Franchise.

If straws show which way the wind blows another important franchise war is impending between the street railway companies. Much bustle and activity preceded the regular Friday session of the Board of Public Works yesterday. All the franchise-scarred legal veterans were on hand, and the scene in the lobbies was not unlike those which preceded the struggle of the financial giants, H. E. Huntington and W. A. Clark, for possession of the freight franchise concession.

Owing to the absence of Chairman Nofziger, ten applications for the sale of street railway franchises were held over until next Friday, when all petitioners and protestants will be given a hearing. And there are certainly a great many people who object to the route named in the several applications. Many of them were present in person yesterday, and a large number of others were represented by attorneys.

If the Los Angeles Railway sticks to the platform laid down in the last franchise fight that it will not ask for franchises over streets where any large proportion of the people object many of the applications will have to be revised. Even W. E. Dunn, attorney for the Huntington-Hellman syndicate, had a worried expression on his face as he discussed the situation, first with Councilmen, and then with dissatisfied property owners. Frank Thomas, counsel for the Los Angeles Traction Company, was promptly on hand. He was a close observer of all that passed, and now and then found opportunity to talk with the City Fathers. John G. Mott, Esq., had all his pockets bursting with franchise protests redolent of that forensic eloquence for which the barrister is noted.

Had the board decided to hear franchise arguments yesterday the Traction Company would have presented its claim for a privilege to operate cars over private right of way to Pasadena Last September such a franchise application was filed with the Council, but for some reason the company soon decided taht it was not wise to press the application before the old Council. A map of the route, which was requested by the Board of Public Works, was never filed, and the application was permitted to lie dormant until now.

This franchise begins at Vignes and Commercial streets, and runs over private way and a few streets in a general northeasterly direction until it connects with one of the franchises bought by R. E. Brinker on Avenue 64 in Garvanza. This latter franchise runs to the city limits, and it is probable that a right-of-way has been selected from that point to Pasadena. At this end of the line connection is made with a franchise once granted to the Los Angeles Terminal Railway Company over Vignes, Commercial, Hewitt and other streets, which in turn connect with the Third-street Traction line.

As the route for a great part of the distance is over private right of way the company asks for a direct grant of the franchise as was given the Huntington interests for the construction of the Long Beach line. Formerly the people of Garvanza and Highland Park were very anxious for the construction of this road, and it is probable that they will again petition for it.

After the board adjourned yesterday attorneys and citizens filed with the City Clerk a number of protests against the routes selected in the Huntington applications and these protests will be formally before the board at its next session. Citizens on Seventeenth street have filed two protests bearing a total of ninety-three signatures against the granting of a franchise on Seventeenth street and Union avenue. They recite that they have plenty of street car facilities at present on Sixteenth, Bush, Washington and Twenty-third streets. The entire frontage of Ellendale Place has signed a protest against a street car line on that wide thoroughfare. It bears thirty-five signatures and among them such well-known names as Ben E. Ward, Judge Olin Wellborn, E. B. Tufts, G. E. Kallmeyer, F. O. Engstrum, Lynn Helm, Thomas Barclay and others.

Strenuous objection to a street car line on Ninth, Park View, Eleventh and Hoover streets is contained in a protest headed by Harry Lee Martin and Ross T. Hickcox. On Twenty-fifth street between Hoover and Thornton citizens and property owners to the number of twenty-three have protested. Twenty-ninth-street property owners between Ellendale and Budlong set forth many reasons why a franchise should not be granted on that street. They say there would be five curves in close proximity and that the "ear-piercing howls from the car wheels would cause pandemonium to reign from early morn until after midnight," thus murdering sleep, a la Hamlet. To this protest twenty-one names are appended.

SPUR-TRACK PRIVILEGE.

The application of the Llewellyn Iron Works for a spur track franchise from the Southern Pacific tracks on Alhambra avenue over private property and across Magdalena and Railroad streets met with favor at the hands of the board. Magdalena is an ungraded street, and Railroad street is little used. Members of the board accepted the view held by Councilman Todd, that the district was given over to manufacturing enterprises, and that no harm could be done to anyone by granting the spur-track privilege. The Llewellyn brothers have expended thousands of dollars, it was said, in securing a private right of way and in improving that section of the city. A large warehouse and foundry is now in course of construction, and the company has been compelled to branch out in all directions to keep up with their rush orders.

Practically all the objection to the spur track came from John D. Hooker, a business rival of the Llewellyns, who was represented before the board by Attorney J. W. McKinley. The attorney stated that his client was opposed to the spur, but gave no tenable reasons for the objection. The Councilmen concluded that it was merely a case of business rivalry and jealousy, and decided to recommend that the franchise be granted. McKinley stated that he will be out of town on Monday, and asked the board to postpone its report so that he could address the full Council on the franchise. This the board refused to do, and the franchise will doubtless be granted by the Council next Monday.

O'Connell Gets a Fall.

Burly "Bob" Todd of the Eighth Ward usually listens to complaints from the inhabitants of his strenuous section of the city with the very best of grace, but yesterday Mr. James O'Connell, who seemed not to have fully recovered from his celebration of the Seventeenth of Ireland, overtaxed the patience of the cherubic statesman. Be it related that Mr. O'Connell of the Emerald Isle has fully made up his mind that the world owes him a living, and he has made his conclusions known to a very large number of persons at the City Hall. Yesterday he stopped the session of the Board of Public Works and delivered quite an oration. "An' it's only a month's wurruk I'm askin', and I a citizen fer a long time," he declared, in a broad and somewhat maudlin brogue. Finally Davenport sternly commanded Mr. O'Connell to be silent for a moment. "See Bob Todd," said the big Sixth Warder. Then, with unsteady steps, O'Connell sought the pride of the Eighth and began to berate him roundly for not "reprisintin' his constitchooency an' pervidin' wurruk for citizens." Finally Todd got angry, and, grabbing the verbose Mr. O'Connell by the arm, pushed him very forcibly through the door into the hallway, where the facial extremities of the indignant citizen became woefully twisted, and he sat down on the marble flagstones with a thud. Vowing dire vengeance, O'Connell finally left the hall.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

WREAKED REVENGE WITH SNEEZING RED PEPPER.

SCATTERED IT ALL OVER ELSIE ROUSSINET'S HOUSE.

Disturbed Her Peace of Mind by the Hot Stuff Powder and Then Flourished a Revolver Under Her Exasperated Nose.

Never did jilted swain wreak vengeance more cruel upon a scornful lady love than did William Monlon, who was arrested yesterday. He scattered red pepper until the lady almost sneezed herself to death.

All this romance and the tragic denouement took place at Belvidere, which makes its presence felt, although it is beyond Evergreen Cemetery.

Monlon used to work for a lady named Elsie Roussinet, and is said also to have fallen under the spell of her subtle charm.

But the course of love didn't run smoothly—it never does. A few nights ago, it is claimed, Monlon stole into the house and sprinkled the place with red pepper.

When rosy sleep left the elderly damsel, the next thing that happened was a gigantic explosive sneeze.

When she caught her breath she rushed wildly to another room, when she was seized with a sneeze more terrific and sensational. She found herself in a hornet's nest of sneezes. She sneezed staccato and in rag time; she sneezed until her nose grew hoarse.

Finally she fled to the bathroom, but Monlon, with great guile, had sprinkled it on the toilet articles.

Incidentally, the lady claims, Monlon came again to her house and broke up some furniture, as well as flourishing a revolver in her face.

He was complained against in Justice Young's court for disturbing the peace, and was arrested yesterday afternoon.

ALBERT BELL INSANE.

BACK TO ASYLUM.

Albert Bell, the wayward son of Maj. Horace Bell, was committed to the insane asylum for the second time yesterday.

This time he made no objection, and seemed willing to go. Several months ago, he was examined, and wildly protested against being sent up. Soon after he got in the asylum, he escaped.

Since then, his young wife has been divorced from him. The trouble with Bell is "dope" and strong drink. He is naturally a very bright man.

BUCKED THROUGH FUNERAL.

DAMAGE SUIT RESULTS.

The hoodoo that comes to people who pass through funeral processions has hit the Los Angeles Railroad Company in the form of a damage suit, brought by Angelo Caldera.

Caldera claims a funeral procession was passing along Commercial street last September, when a trolley car went banging through. The buggy he was riding in was struck and he was thrown out, breaking three ribs and his collarbone. He asks for damages in the sum of $5416.15.

COURT NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

HARD SUIT. Carrie Louise Stone was divorced from Albert John Stone yesterday on the ground of desertion.

TROLLEY HIT HIM. Because his left leg was broken by being run into by a Traction car, Thomas H. Nichols has brought suit against the company for $5,000 damages. He was walking across Eighth street at Hope when the accident happened.

SUIT FOR COMMISSION. L. C. Hulburt has sued Herman Cohn for $400 for commission as an agent. He claims that Cohn engaged him to find a purchaser for his brother, Isadore Cohn's half interest in a clothing house. He claims that through his influence one Carl Stern became a purchaser at $15,000, and that Cohn has not paid him his commission.

RATE WAR IN COURT. When the new township justice is appointed by the Supervisors there is sure to be a funny rivalry. These justices receive no salary but make on fees. There is hardly enough money to make both offices paying. There is a possibility that it may develop into a rate war, and the justices can cut the price of filing suits if they so desire.

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THE FEDERAL COURTS.

ARGUMENTS ENDED IN PROCURING CASE.

LAWYERS DELVE DEEP INTO FEDERAL STATUTES.

Judge Wellborn Will Probably Decide Motion to Dismiss Today—Defense has Best of Argument, but New Precedent May Be Established.

Arguments on the motion of the defense to dismiss the case against the defendants, Jules Dallagiovanni and Maximilliene Baron, in the procuring case, in which the French girl, Adolphine Babut was brought from Paris to this country and forced into a life of shame, consumed the day in the United States Court yesterday. Judge Wellborn will probably announce his decision on the point today.

Dist.-Atty Valentine for the government closed his argument early in the afternoon and was followed by Attorneys Davis and Rush for the defense. Attorney Valentine contended that the importation of the girl by the procurer was unlawful and that the latter had been holding her for purposes of prostitution. He held that a contract should relate to everything bearing on his acts and his first intent, and that the overt acts, which were a part of the evidence, showed the intent to be illegal and criminal in nature. Interpretation of the Federal statutes fortified by decisions bearing on the case formed the basis of his argument. He said that it was the intention of Congress, in passing the act bearing on the procuring of immigrants for purposes of prostitution, to provide that no shrewdness or underhand means, such as those employed by Dallagiovanni, would avail in escaping the terms or the penalty of the law.

In concluding the argument for the defense, Attorney Rush, who spoke forcibly and with a touch of eloquence, contended that there had been no contract within the meaning of the law, and that the evidence adduced had failed to show that the girl had been engaged for purposes of prostitution. The law, he said, had been passed by Congress when the country was threatened with wholesale importation of Chinese and Japanese women for lewd and unlawful purposes; that in the cases upon which this act was interpreted to have a bearing, the women were employed in foreign ports, knowing that they were hired for purposes of prostitution, and that they were examined by direction of consuls before they were given certificates of departure. He contended that there was no parallel between those cases and this one, inasmuch as the laws and the religion of the orientals made the women no better than chattels. It was argued at some length that the government had failed to show, by the evidence presented, that the intention of the procurer was a criminal one, or that he had engaged the girl with the purpose in his mind of forcing her into a life of shame.

Counsel on both sides were interrupted frequently in their remarks by Judge Wellborn, who brought out the fullest expression of opinion on all points submitted. So far it seems that the defense has the best of the legal argument; but as the precedent to be established is an important one, Judge Wellborn intimated that his interpretation of the statutes and his construction of the act of Congress bearing on the case might be a liberal one.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

BROOKS HELD FOR MURDER OF HOBO "BILLY."

O'BRIEN MUST ANSWER FOR DEATH OF WILLIAM WOLF.

Sellers of Adulterated Cream Convicted in Police Court Yesterday—Keeper of the Blakesley Rooming House Fined for Disregarding Register Ordinance.

Yesterday was "Black Friday" for the men of murderous intent who were abroad on the night of March 11.

R. M. Dougherty and James Walters, the two young crooks charged with murder of their fellow-craftsman, known as "Billy," were given their preliminary examination yesterday and held without bail for trial.

The murder took place on the night of March 11, in the Mariposa, on East Second street, where the two charged with the crime and a brother of Walters's had a room. On the night of the murder of "Billy," the younger Walters disappeared and has never been seen since, but "Billy" had been let in to occupy his bed that night, it is supposed, with the intention of murdering him.

It is a fact that "Billy" was shot to death, and the younger Walters was probably around when the arrests were made, after which he thought it wise to keep out of the way.

The most likely theory of the murder is that "Billy" and the other three had been traveling together, and that the murdered man had threatened to "peach," for some reason, and it was determined to put him out of the way.

Neither Dougherty nor Walters have uttered a word since their arrest, with reference to the case. They made no sort of defense, though when first arraigned, Dougherty wanted the examination postponed for five or six days, until he could have time to hear from some friends. The "friends" failed to materialize, and the pair were unrepresented by attorneys yesterday.

John O'Brien was also held for trial yesterday, on a charge of manslaughter, the result of his having knocked down William Wolf, on the night of March 11, from the effects of which Wolf died.

It was shown by the evidence that Wolf and another man were jangling in the California Saloon on South Main street, when O'Brien butted in as peacemaker. When Wolf insisted upon keeping his tongue in the quarrel, O'Brien turned and struck him in the mouth. Wolf was a large man and fell heavily to the floor, striking his head with such force as to fracture the skull, from the effects of which he died. O'Brien surrendered himself to the police the next morning.

As to the identity of Wolf, the keeper of the saloon yesterday said on the stand:

"His pride was that he was once a good butcher, but he called himself 'Hobo Bill.'"

CREAM DOPERS.

PAID FINES AND WILL BE GOOD.

The cases filed by the Milk Inspector against L. Lakin and L. H. Webb, for selling cream padded up with a vicious quantity of formaline, resulted in their conviction before Justice Austin yesterday. Lakin paid a fine of $50 and Webb $25.

In extenuation of Webb's offense it is only justice to say that he is a baker, doing business on West Seventh street, and bought the cream from Lakin and sold it at his bakery. He asserts that he had no knowledge that the cream was impure, and feels sorely the injury that has come to him by reason, as he claims, of his becoming an innocent victim of the man who mixed it.

THE ODOROUS BLAKESLEY.

HOW HUTCH FOUND A HUNDRED.

The Blakesley rooming-house, at the corner of Third and Main streets, was twice brought to notice in the Police Court yesterday: first by the arrest of Trixie Harris and Vera Hess, two street-walkers who have had rooms there for some days; and then by the arraignment of A. M. Blakesley for failing to keep a register of the guests taking rooms at the house.

The girls were released without bail and given until this afternoon to get out of town, and Blakesley was fined $20 and warned to look out for breakers.

The officers say that the house is one of the most notorious in the city where men and women secure rooms and no questions asked. The police told on the stand of having warned Blakesley repeatedly of his violation of the law.

The two girls mentioned above passed through the Police Station on their way out, and soon after them came "El Hutch." He stooped in front of the clerk's desk, picked a $100 bill from the floor, danced a wild Indian quickstep, put the note in his pocket and walked out. The boys at the desk thought it was all a bit of play on the part of "Hutch," but a moment later the two girls reappeared in search of the $100 bill they had dropped, and were sent to the attorney's office, where they recovered the property. That $100 stands between the girls and the order of the court, and its loss meant something.

Brevities.

Mary Louise Brault, held in connection with the case against the Dorans, was released from custody yesterday, while the Dorans remain in jail awaiting a second trial.

C. Dell Osso was fined $5 for obstructing the sidewalk in front of his store on North Main street.

J. A. Wood paid $10 for disobedience of the ordinance which declares that no citizen shall keep more than two cows within the city limits. He is running a small dairy and has five or six cows.

PRACTICAL PHILANTHROPY.

Colored Baptists Will Care for Needy Aged Members in a Home Just Purchased at Vineland.

It has remained for the colored Baptists to lead in the establishment of a home for needy, aged members.

Plans for this have been under advisement by the Western Baptist Association for the past year, and at its recent annual meeting the affair took definite form.

Last week a special committee from this association, of which Rev. C. H. Anderson, pastor of the Second Baptist Church of this city, is chairman, purchased as a site for the new home a tract of twenty acres at Vineland.

There is a farmhouse on the place at present, and it is the intention to enlarge it and provide comfortable quarters. The land is in a rich agricultural district, and will be set to small fruits and orchards.

Work on the new institution is to be taken up at once, and it is the plan of the colored Baptist people of Southern California to care for their aged and needy members to as great an extent as possible.

The home will be directly under the management of the Western Baptist Association, and its board of trustees are Rev. C. H. Anderson, Rev. J. Whitlock and P. J. Anderson.

KASPARE COHN HOSPITAL.

Institution of the Hebrew Benevolent Association Meeting with Much Success—Lot Purchased for Enlargement.

The Kaspare Cohn Hospital, which opened its doors on the 21st day of last August under the auspices of the Los Angeles Hebrew Benevolent Association, has met with such success and the demand for its services has been so great, that the promoters have decided that in the not distant future more room must be added to the establishment. With this idea in view the society has purchased the lot adjoining the hospital on the west.

The Crazy Basin. Is there anything in it for YOU? *See Adv. in Sunday's Times.*

A nervous, irritable mother, often on the verge of hysterics, is unfit to care for children; it ruins a child's disposition and reacts upon herself. The trouble between children and their mothers too often is due to the fact that the mother has some female weakness, and she is entirely unfit to bear the strain upon her nerves that governing a child involves; it is impossible for her to do anything calmly. She cannot help it, as her condition is due to suffering and shattered nerves caused by some derangement of the uterine system with backache, headache, and all kinds of pain, and she is on the verge of nervous prostration.

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THE ORANGE MARKET.

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NEW YORK AVERAGE PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twenty-four cars of California oranges sold today; one withdrawn. The bulk of the fruit showed decay, navels running thick-skinned and puffy. Some cars showing 15 and 25 per cent. decay. Prices off on this class of goods, strictly fancy solid fruit firm. Seedlings old and soft; grape fruit puffy and light weight. The weather is dry and favorable. Fifty cars in sight. Present prospect not favorable for next week if fruit continues to arrive in poor shape. Navels, fancy, large, $2.26; regulars, $2.27; choice, large, $1.53; regulars, $1.84; choice seedlings, small, $1.58; regulars, $1.70; extra fancy half tangerines, $1.62; fancy, $1.40; extra fancy grape fruit, 54s and 64s, $1.76; fancy, $1.78; extra fancy half bloods, $1.65. One hundred and twenty-one cars sold this week against seventy cars same week last season.

BOSTON PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fifteen cars of California oranges offered today; one withdrawn. Weather warm and pleasant; attendance fair. Large sizes were discounted heavily, small sizes being the favorites.

A few cars of fancy fruit were sold about the same as Wednesday, ordinary fruit a little lower. Offerings were a little lighter than expected, as several cars failed to arrive. Several cars showed more or less decay. The market weak and unchanged. Twenty cars on track. Prices today were as follows: Navels, extra fancy, large $2.15; regulars, $2.49; fancy, large, $2.19; regulars, $2.41; choice, large, $1.90; regulars, $2.10.

PHILADELPHIA PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Ten cars of California oranges sold today. Most of the fruit was in poor condition, some showing as high as 30 per cent. rot. Several cars brought little more than charges. The few good navels sold from $2.25 to $2.50, but the general condition of the market is now better. The large percentage of decayed fruit now arriving is demoralizing. It is probable that good sound stock will do a little better in the near future, but the outlook is not very encouraging. The car of seedlings sold today was some of good color and fair quality. About twenty cars on track after today's sale. Weather mild. Prices today as follows: Fancy navels, regulars, averaged, $2.10; choice, $1.58; fancy bloods, $2.46; fancy seedlings, $1.68.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

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FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. The clearings of the Los Angeles clearinghouse today (Friday) were $931,508.70; same day last year, $905,737.25.

THE TRUST POWER. Says the Wall Street Journal: "That there are trusts in the United States, representing an aggregate capitalization amounting to nearly one-seventh of the entire wealth of the United States, is a fact easily computed from statistics just published in the Congressional Record, and contained in a speech by Mr. Littlefield of Maine. A list of trusts existing on January 1, 1903, is given and this is undoubtedly the most complete statement of the kind ever made.

"A proper distinction is made between what are called 'local and natural monopolies,' by which is meant gas, electric light, water, street railway, telegraph and telephone companies, and the industrial trusts which are the result of consolidations and combinations. The latter come under the definition adopted for the use of the twelfth census, that a trust is a company organized to own and control a number of factories and mills formerly independent of each other whose business extends over the whole country, or else a company organized simply for the purpose of owning and holding the stocks of other corporations. The natural monopolies are such because of their ownership of public franchises or patents, but there may also be trusts in the sense that they represent great consolidations.

"From the list published in Mr. Littlefield's speech, which, it is claimed, is really a non-partisan compilation, and aggregating the amounts, and the following record is disclosed:

	Number.
Trusts	453
Local and local monopolies	340
	793

"Outstanding capitalization:

	Trusts.	Local and natural monopolies.
Common stock	$5,975,853,850	$2,928,618,600
Preferred stock	2,091,506,320	296,922,400
Bonds	1,165,774,828	1,294,056,819
	$9,231,136,008	$4,519,597,819

	Capitalization.
Trusts and local monopolies	$9,231,136,008
	4,519,597,819
Total capitalizations	$12,750,724,517

"If we add to this total the amount of the railroad capitalization, we arrive at a sum which represents, in large measure, the grand output of stocks and bonds in this country of combinations which may be said to constitute the 'trust power' in the United States. The figures are as follows:

	Capitalization.
Trusts	$12,750,724,517
Railroads	11,688,147,091
	$23,426,381,608

"How great this sum is may be seen from the fact that the entire wealth of the United States is estimated at $94,000,000,000. The amount of stocks and bonds admitted to the listed and unlisted departments of the New York Stock Exchange was on January 1, $16,157,486,422. Two-thirds of the trust power is therefore represented on the Stock Exchange.

"Attention should be called to the fact that of the total trust capitalization of $12,750,724,517, the amount of the common stocks is $8,912,472,450, or about two-thirds of the whole. The popular belief is that these common stocks represent only in very small part any capital paid in either in cash or property. Conceding this to be the case, the congested condition of the general investment markets is in a measure explained."

COMMERCIAL.

THE TOMATOES. Writing from Florida, Thomas J. Meehan & Co. say the following on tomatoes: "An advance for tomatoes, both spots and futures, is the result of the past week's developments in this market. Scarcity of spot tomatoes the offerings raised the demand with usual energy, the lower range of prices ... will feel more like doing ... in them, and the customary ... buying orders, as the time ... opening of navigation approaches with its schedule of summer ... is expected to mark the ... of the looked-for reaction ... Future tomatoes are very ... the sales during the past ... days have been heavier ... any time since the selling for ... season's delivery began. ... came from all sections of ... the heavy buying being ... undoubtedly by increased confidence in the stability of the present ... Of course there is a difference ... in regard to the course of ... from now on; some predict ... but the majority rather ... the belief that the existing ... will cause a higher range ... before long. At present the ... conditions are ignored, apparently."

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS. Shipments of citrus fruit from Southern California Thursday were 137 carloads of oranges and 14 of lemons. The total since November 1, 1902, to date, is ... carloads, of which ...

... LAR FOR GERMANY. Under date of February 4, Consul J. J. ... writes from Solingen: "Adver... is frequently received by

concerns here from manufacturers in the United States which, being in the English language, is of practically no value. A local hardware dealer some time ago received catalogues of wire fences. While he was interested, he could not understand the description, the sizes being expressed in inches and pounds, and, even after reducing these to the metric system, he could tell nothing of the detailed construction. He would not, he said, object to giving them a trial, but would not order them without knowing more about them.

"When an American manufacturer desires to introduce goods into this country, he should find some responsible agent to keep stock, or at least a full line of samples on hand, and let him introduce the article among the trade. Better still, of course, where larger sales come into consideration, is to send able salesmen who can speak the German language, select the houses they wish to deal with, and make arrangements as to terms, etc. If printed matter is used, it should certainly be in the language of the country to which it is sent."

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

Ranch eggs were steadier today (Friday,) and all sales were made at Thursday's quotation of 16 to 17 cents a dozen for candled stock. Bidding was not as active on the floor of the Produce Exchange. Receipts are heavy, and some dealers continue to shove all surplus into storage. About 150 cases are reported to have gone to Arizona yesterday.

Butter continues weak.

No change in cheese, although weakness is still felt.

Potatoes plentiful, except fancy; a lessening in demand for Highlands is felt, owing to peddlers who are buying sprouted stock out of storage.

Onions are on the market at a wide range of prices.

Poultry wanted.

Fish none too plentiful.

Game all cleaned up.

Other commodities as heretofore reported.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per 2-lb. square, 50; Coast creamery, 47½; dairy, 45; cooking, 20 per lb.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 16@17 cold storage, nominal; fresh eastern, largely nominal.

CHEESE—California, Anchor, per lb., 16; California, Young America, per lb., 17; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 18; Coast, full cream, per lb., 16@16½; domestic Swiss, per lb., 19; imported Swiss, per lb., 27; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 16@16½; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 15½; Magaw, 16@17.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per ctl., Early Rose, seed, 1.25@1.75; Nevada Pearls, fancy, 1.30@1.35; Nevada Burbanks, 1.10@1.25; Oregon, 1.10@1.25; Highland, 85@90; Salinas, 1.15@1.25.

ONIONS—Oregon, fancy, 1.15@1.25; Nevada, fancy, 1.25@1.35.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 1.00@1.25; cabbage, 75@1.00; carrots, 1.25@1.50 cwt.; green chiles, 6@7 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 50@60; lettuce, per sack, 75@1.00; parsnips, 90@1.00 per cwt.; green peas, 3@4; radishes, doz. bunches, 12@15; string beans, 10@12; turnips 50@60 per cwt.; garlic, 5@6; tomatoes, per case, 2.00@2.25; celery, 25@45; cauliflower, 75 per doz.; watercress, 25@40 per doz.; spinach, 14@18 per doz.

Beans and Lentils.

BEANS—Pink, per cwt., 3.25@3.50; Lady Washington, 3.75@4.00; small white, 3.75@4.00; Limas, 4.50@5.00; Garbanzos, 3.75@5.00; field peas 2.50; lentils, 7.00@7.50; horse beans, 3.50.

Sugar.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls. cost 10c, ½ bbls. 25c, and boxes 50c per 100 lbs. more. All prices are net cash. Best sugar, 4.87½; cane sugar, 4.37½; cube, 4.50; powdered, 4.75; confectioners' A, 5.30; extra C, 4.75; Golden C, 4.65; D, 4.55.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 1.25@1.50; green, 75@1.25.
ORANGES—Navels, per box, 1.50@2.50.
GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@2.25.
LIMES—Per 100, 90@1.25.
COCOANUTS—Per doz., 75@1.00.
BANANAS—Per bunch, 1.25@2.75.
PERSIMMONS—Per lb., 12@14.
PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@6.00.
CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 12.00.
GUAVAS—Per box, 10@12.
APPLES—Per box, 1.25@2.00.
PEARS—Per box, 1.25@1.75.
OLIVES—Per gal., green, 75@90; black, 85@1.25.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7½@8; apricots, 7@8; peaches, fancy, 7@8; choice, 6@7; pears, fancy evaporated, 9@10; plums, pitted, 7@8; prunes, choice, 3@6; fancy, 6@9 dates, 5@9; new crop, 7@10; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 8@9.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.00; London Layers, per box, 1.60@2.00; loose, 6¼@7 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 5@7½.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13@13½; hardshell, 10@12; Brazils 11; filberts, 12@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6½; roasted, 8½; California, choice raw, 5@5½; California, fancy raw, 5½; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 11½@12½; hardshell, first grade, 10@11; pinones, New Mexico, 7.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 6.50@7.00.
CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.50 for prime steers; 3.50@4.50 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.00@5.00.
SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 3.50@4.00; lambs, 2.00@2.50.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 4.70@4.60; northern, 4.60; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 6.00; lower grades, 2.90@4.90; graham flour, 2.30.
ROLLED BARLEY—1.25.
CRACKED CORN—1.30.
BRAN—1.15.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14¾; California, 10; Winchester, medium, 14¾; do. small, 15¼; Premium, 16; skinned, 16¼; Gold Band, 16; mild cured, 14.

DRY SALT PORK—Per lb., clear bellies, 13¼@13¾; short clears, 12¾@13¼; clear backs, 12¾@13¼.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 14½@16¼.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 24.00.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 15¾; Winchester, medium, 15¾; light, 16¼; Empire, 17½; Premium, 20; Diamond C, 15¼; 49'er, 17½; Gold Band, 20.

LARD—Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 12¾; Comp. lard, tcs. bas., 8¼@8¾; suetene, 8½; Rex, tierces, 12¾; White Label, tierces, 12¾.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 25@30.
HONEY—Per lb., in comb. frames, 11@14; extracted, 6@7.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7½@7¾.
VEAL—Per lb., 8@10.
MUTTON—Per lb., 8@12; lamb, 10.
PORK—Per lb., 9¾.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition 14@15 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 10@12; for turkeys, 18@19; geese, 11@12.

COLD STORAGE—Turkeys, 20@22 per lb.; hens, 16@17 per lb.; ducks, 14@16 per lb.

Game.

GEESE—Per doz., honkers, 7.00@8.00; gray, 4.50@5.00; white, 2.50@3.00; cottontails, 1.75@2.00; rabbits, 1.00@1.25; hares, 1.50@1.75; English jacksnipe, 2.00@3.25; common, 1.25@1.50.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—1.30.
OATS—1.35@1.40.
CORN—1.35.
WHEAT—1.65@1.75.
HAY—Barley, 10.00@12.00; alfalfa, 11.50@13.00; tame oat, 12.00@14.00; wheat, 10.00@12.00.

STATE OF TRADE.

DUN'S WEEKLY REVIEW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, March 20.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say that only one distinctly unfavorable factor is reported in the business situation, and it exists more in the fear of what may happen than through anything that has actually occurred. Several strikes are in progress, but none that seriously hampers industry, although many controversies are threatened and may interrupt trade, unless agreements are speedily reached. Progress has been made in relieving traffic blockades, and deliveries are more prompt, yet railway facilities need much extension if they are to keep pace with the nation's growth. Jobbing trade is very large, and the advancing season stimulates resales in many lines. Reports from the West are especially satisfactory, agriculturists making extensive improvements, notably in the purchase of the most modern machinery; buying of spring and summer merchandise is heavy for the interior, and mills are resuming that have long been idle because coke could not be secured. A careful canvass of building operations at the leading cities makes a fair comparison with last year, outside of Chicago, where the political condition caused considerable activity in 1902. Returns are unanimous in disclosing a decrease compared with 1901, however, which was the banner year in this respect. High cost of material and wages of labor are undoubtedly retarding influences at the present time. Railway earnings thus far available for March show an increase of 14.6 per cent. over last year, and 26.1 per cent. over 1901. Prospects in the iron and steel industry are still conspicuously encouraging. Demand for heavy-weight woolens has decreased, most new orders being for the cheaper grades. More cancellations of early orders are reported. Much better conditions prevail in the dress-goods market, both as to staples and fancies. New English shoe shops report increased business, western jobbers placing orders for August and September delivery. Leather is more active, and tanners are not carrying surplus stocks. Failures this week numbered 229 in the United States, against 209 last year, and 22 in Canada, against 21 a year ago.

Bradstreet's Review.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say that excessive moisture in the form of heavy rains and floods, or of merely bad roads, is an apparent drawback to distributive trade. Against this, however, is to be placed an improvement in jobbing trade at some leading western centers, a shade better than heretofore reported collection, a perceptible easing of the car shortage trouble and increased strength in the iron and steel trades. There is even some, though perhaps more apparent than real, improvement in the labor situation, some strikes having been avoided or settled, but labor disturbance is still a possible unsettled feature, particularly in the building trades. The Easter season is one of the latest on record, but actual spring weather conditions are operative, as may be judged from the fact that lower lake navigation is already pretty well opened. The next two weeks will see applied the test of demand in retail lines. Gross railway earnings for the first half of March show an aggregate gain over last year of fully 12 per cent. In prices a feature is the further slight strengthening of cotton. Cotton goods have displayed exceptional strength though a waiting tendency as regards new business is noted at first hands. The feature in the cereal markets has been the very general easing prices, sympathized in by pork and lard, among hog products, mainly the result of increased pressure of supplies, and smaller export business, though at the decline the tendency of foreigners to come in is noted. Hides are slightly weaker, while leather and finished products continue strong. Tin and copper, among the metals, after quite steady advances, have weakened slightly. Strength of prices is a leading feature in iron and steel at all markets, both at home and abroad. Lead is higher on the week, but copper and tin are lower. Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ended March 19, aggregate 2,395,508 bushels, against 3,356,796 last week; 4,226,304 in this week a year ago, and 3,256,644 in 1901. Wheat exports since July 1 aggregate 170,048,526 bushels, against 191,494,397 last season, and 146,473,073 in 1901. Business failures for the week ending with March 19 number 194, against 176 last week; 197 in the like week of 1902; 211 in 1901; 192 in 1900 and 182 in 1899. In Canada, for the week, failures numbered 14, as against 20 last week and 26 in this week a year ago.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The following table, compiled by Bradstreet, shows the bank clearings at the principal cities for the week ended March 19, with the percentage of increase and decrease, as compared with the corresponding week last year:

	Amount.	Per ct. Inc.	Per ct. Dec.
*New York	$1,[illegible],417	....	3.4
*Chicago	165,685,102	2.8	....
*Boston	130,443,783	.2	....
*Philadelphia	108,070,569	....	....
*St. Louis	45,794,641	....	1.5
Pittsburgh	30,418,415	....	7.0
*San Francisco	31,827,027	28.0	....
*Baltimore	21,851,130	29.0	....
Cincinnati	21,003,200	1.9	....
*Kansas City	17,903,156	7.1	....
Cleveland	16,757,383	4.9	....
*Minneapolis	12,011,912	21.0	....
*New Orleans	13,030,271	3.6	....
Detroit	9,696,092	12.9	....
*Louisville	10,513,418	2.2	....
Omaha	7,994,974	19.0	....
*Milwaukee	7,152,056	6.3	....
*Providence	7,039,000	8	....
*Buffalo	5,559,018	14.8	....
*St. Paul	5,665,215	1.5	....
Indianapolis	5,315,133	19.6	....
LOS ANGELES	**6,279,827**	29.0	....
*St. Joseph	5,507,002	....	....
Denver	4,008,629	16.5	....
Richmond	3,852,711	....	....
Columbus	3,876,900	....	7.6
Seattle	4,174,486	....	15.1
Washington	3,919,577	11.2	....
*Savannah	2,794,229	37.1	....
Memphis	3,872,241	5.0	....
Albany	2,883,490	59.4	....
Salt Lake City	2,795,892	6.1	....
*Portland, Or.	3,600,475	....	....
*Toledo	2,85[illegible],472	....	3.2
Fort Worth	2,080,833	24.8	14.0
Peoria	2,530,633	20.5	....
Hartford	2,521,641	2.8	....
Rochester	2,280,843	....	....
Atlanta	2,561,865	....	22.4
Des Moines	2,547,307	20.3	....
New Haven	1,462,822	21.6	....
Nashville	2,205,426	8.6	....
Spokane, Wash.	2,129,124	41.1	....
Grand Rapids	1,763,850	35.0	....
Sioux City	1,462,134	17.2	....
Springfield, Mass.	1,491,575	5.4	....
Norfolk	1,622,520	6.4	....
Dayton	1,712,164	17.9	....
Tacoma	2,069,684	27.3	....
Worcester	1,534,206	69.3	....
Augusta, Ga.	1,696,017	....	....
Portland, Me.	1,298,763	58.9	....
Scranton	1,430,472	19.5	....
Topeka	1,519,038	5.6	....
Syracuse	1,237,704	....	6.1
Evansville	1,170,069	12.7	....
Wilmington, Del.	1,100,401	32.5	....
**Houston	12,208,900	8.3	....
**Galveston	8,980,000	....	1.7
Totals for the United States	$2,165,750,079	....	6.4

*Balances paid in cash.

**Not included in totals because containing other items than clearings.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, March 20.—General improvement was shown by the stock market today. The absence of selling pressure at the opening caused the professional element to cover in a number of the active issues, with the result that numerous material gains were registered. Southern Pacific was one of the few exceptions, showing more or less weakness throughout the day. The bulk of today's business was done during the morning session, though in the last hour the market resumed its early activity, and closing prices were in many instances the best of the day. The better feeling was more pronounced in the afternoon because of the greater ease in the time-money rate, some loans being made at 5 per cent. It was the general opinion that, barring untoward events, the situation should improve. The early gains took in Canadian Pacific, Louisville and Nashville, St. Paul and several specialties, including Minneapolis and St. Louis, which advanced four points, and in the steel stocks. Later there were better prices for Baltimore and Ohio, the Eries, New York Central, St. Louis and San Francisco and Rock Island. The advance in the last two-named stocks was accompanied by reports that an early announcement of the much-discussed deal would be made. In the industrial group, prices reached a higher level in Tennessee Coal, Colorado Fuel, Consolidated Gas, General Electric and National Lead. Sugar shares were weak throughout and Amalgamated Copper was very steady, though making a fractional net gain. The decline in Sugar followed the operations of a specialist, who offered the stock down in hundred-share lots. A feature of the early afternoon was the sudden demand for Metropolitan, which was said to come from the large short interest. On fairly large transactions, the stock made a new gain of four points, closing at the top. Missouri Pacific developed some strength by reason of its statements of earnings, which was one of the most gratifying features of the day. The hard-coal stocks were fairly strong, though not in active demand, and St. Paul advanced on what was reported to be inside buying. London traded in about twelve thousand shares here, buying slightly on balance. The day's business was comparatively small and commission houses continued to report an absence of public interest. Much of the buying came from the various pools and cliques that were prominent on the short side, up to a few days ago. There was no change in the foreign exchange situation. Demand sterling rose a trifle in the marking, but eased off to 4.85¾ toward the close. Very little business was reported. Forecasts of the week's money movements indicated a comparatively slight loss by the banks. The increasing strength of the market during the day led to a more general inquiry for numerous minor stocks, which had not figured in the rally to any extent. These included Chicago Terminal issues, Colorado and Southern, Wheeling and Lake Erie, Evansville and Terre Haute and several other obscure properties. North American made a jump of four points, but did not maintain the full advance, and several other higher-grade stocks which have been recently liquidated improved. The bond market maintained a firm tone throughout the day, but was somewhat less active than on yesterday. Total sales, par value, $1,715,000. United States 4s and 5s advanced ¼ on the last call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	84¾	Texas & Pacific	29
Atchison pfd	98⅛	T., St. L. & W.	26¾
Baltimore & Ohio	95	T., St. L. pfd	44
B. & O. pfd	92½	Union Pacific	84¾
Canadian Pacific	131⅝	Union Pac. pfd	91
Canada Southern	72	Wabash	29
Chesa. & Ohio	47¼	Wabash pfd	50¾
Chicago & Alton	28¼	W. & L. E.	24½
C. & Alton pfd	70	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	33
Chicago & G. W.	23½	Wis. Central	22
C. & G. W. "A"	80	Wis. Cen. pfd	50
C. & G. W. "B"	41½	Express Co's—	
Chicago & N. W.	187½	Adams	217
Chicago Terminal	17⅝	American	212
Chicago Ter. pfd	32	United States	120
C. C. C. & St. L.	92½	Wells-Fargo	220
Colo. Southern	23¾	Miscellaneous—	
Colo. So. 1st pfd	66¾	Amal. Copper	73¾
Colo. So. 2d pfd	34¾	Am. Car & F.	40¾
Del. & Hudson	171¾	Am. C. & F. pfd	91½
D., L. & W.	253	Am. Linseed Oil	15¾
Denver & R. G.	37¾	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	43¼
D. & R. G. pfd	87¾	Am. S. & R.	47¾
Erie	36¾	Am. S. & R. pfd	94½
Erie 1st pfd	68¾	Anaconda M. Co.	103
Erie 2d pfd	54	Brooklyn R. T.	67¾
Great N. pfd	182	Colo. Fuel & I.	68
Hocking Valley	102	Con. Gas	207½
Hock. Val. pfd	93	Cont'l Tob. pfd	114¼
Illinois Central	140⅛	Gen. Electric	186
Iowa Central	38¾	Hocking Coal	20¼
Iowa Cen. pfd	65	Int'l Paper	17½
Lake Erie & W.	42½	Int'l Paper pfd	71½
L. E. & W. pfd	113	Int'l Power	53½
Louis. & Nash.	122¼	Laclede Gas	92½
Manhattan L.	141½	Nat'l Biscuit	44⅛
Met. St. Ry.	126⅝	Nat'l Lead	27¾
Mexican Central	26⅝	North American	108⅞
Mexican Nat'l	18¾	Pacific Coast	68
Minn. & St. L.	103⅝	Pacific Mail	38½
Missouri Pacific	110⅛	People's Gas	103⅝
M., K. & Texas	25⅛	P. Steel Car	70
M., K. & T. pfd	58¼	P. S. Car pfd	91
N. J. Central	175	Pull. Palace Car	229
N. Y. Central	135¾	Republic Steel	19
Norfolk & W.	71¾	Rep. Steel pfd	78
N. & W. pfd	90	Sugar	126¾
Ontario & W.	31¼	Tenn. Coal & I.	61⅜
Pennsylvania	144¾	Union Bag & P.	12¼
Reading	61⅜	Union Bag pfd	75
Reading 1st pfd	84	U. S. Leather	12⅝
Reading 2d pfd	72¾	U. S. L. pfd	91
St. Louis & S. F.	82¾	U. S. Rubber	16¾
St. L. 1st pfd	83	U. S. R. pfd	52
St. L. 2d pfd	71½	U. S. Steel	37⅛
St. Louis, S. W.	23¼	U. S. Steel pfd	87¾
St. L., S. W. pfd	57	Western Union	85¼
St. Paul	171⅜	Am. Loc. Co.	28¼
St. Paul pfd	180	Am. Loc. Co. pfd	92¾
Southern Pacific	64¾	K. C. Southern	32
So. Railway	33⅜	K. C. So. pfd	56¼
So. Railway pfd	93	Rock Island	47¾
		Rock Island pfd	78

Total sales for the day, 510,300 shares.

New York Money.

U. S. R. 2s reg.	107	L. & N. Un. 4s	98¾
U. S. R. 2s coup.	107⅝	Mex. Cen. 4s	77
U. S. 3s reg.	107½	Mex. C. 1st Inc.	26½
U. S. 3s coup.	108	M. & St. L. 4s	101¾
U. S. n. 4s reg.	135¼	M., K. & T. 4s	99½
U. S. n. 4s coup.	136¼	M., K. & T. 2ds	80½
U. S. old 4s reg.	108¾	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	103⅜
U. S. old 4s coup.	109½	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	131
U. S. 5s reg.	103¼	N. P. 4s	102⅞
U. S. 5s coup.	103¼	N. P. 3s	72½
Atchison, Gen. 4s	102	N. & W. Con. 4s	100⅛
Atchison, Adj. 4s	90⅝	Reading Gen. 4s	97
B. & O. 4s	101⅝	St. L. & I. M. 5s	114
B. & O. 3½s	92⅝	St. L. & S. F. 4s	94½
B. & O. Conv. 4s	*101⅛	St. L., S. W. 1sts	96
Can. So. 2ds	*105⅛	St. L., S. W. 2ds	*81¼
Cen. of Ga. 5s	107	S. A. & A. P. 4s	82½
G. of Ga. 1st Inc.	*76½	So. Pacific 4s	90¾
C. & O. 4½s	103⅞	So. Railway 5s	*116
C. & A. 3½s	*76½	T. & P. 1sts	*113
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	92½	T., St. L. & W.	78
C. M. & St. P. 4s	110⅞	Union Pacific 4s	102¼
C. & N. W. 7s	131¾	U. P. Conv. 4s	103⅝
C., R. I. & P. 4s	105	Wabash 1sts	116¼
C. C. C. & St. L.	100¼	Wabash 2ds	106
Chicago Ter. 4s	83	Wabash Deb. B.	77¼
Colo. & So. 4s	87¼	West Shore 4s	110½
D. & R. G. 4s	99½	W. & L. E. 4s	*90
Erie prior lien 4s	*97	Wis. Cen. 4s	...
Erie Gen. 4s	86	Cont'l Tob. 4s	91¼
Fort Worth 1sts	*110	C. F. & I. C. 5s	82½
Hock. Val. 4½s	106½	Manhattan	10.34
Rock Island 4s	96	Pennsylvania 3½s	103

*Bid.

Bond List.

Money—		Mining—	
Call loans	3½@6	Adventure	11½
Time loans	5@6	Allouez	7¾
Bonds—		Amalgamated	73¾
Atchison 4s	100	Daly-West	41¼
Mex. Cen. 4s	76	Bingham	34¾
Railroads—		C. & Hecla	540@550
Atchison	84	Centennial	23¾
Atchison pfd	98	Copper Range	70¾
Boston & Albany	253	Dominion Coal	*117
Boston & Maine	186⅝	Franklin	11
Boston Elevated	147	Isle Royale	13
N. Y. N. H. & H.	211	Mohawk	55
Fitchburg pfd	140	Old Dominion	20¼
Union Pacific	84¾	Osceola	71¼
Miscellaneous—		Parrot	32¼
Am. Sugar	126¾	Quincy	120
Am. Sugar pfd	120½	Santa Fe Copper	2¾
Am. Tel. & Tel.	161	Tamarack	183
Dom. I. & S.	53¼	Trinity	11¼
Gen. Electric	*185½	United States	23¾
Mass. Electric	33¼	Utah	29¾
United Fruit	106½	Victoria	7¼
U. S. Steel	37⅛	Winona	12¾
U. S. Steel pfd	87⅝	Wolverine	75
West'house Com.	102		

*Ex-dividend.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, March 20.—Today's statement of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $224,896,002; gold, $120,526,415.

London Silver.

LONDON, March 20.—Consols, 91½; silver, 22⅝.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, March 20.—Trading in wheat today was small, and the market held steady throughout the day after rallying partially from a weak opening. The unexpectedly large Argentine shipments, together with the lower cables, were responsible for an opening decline in May of ¼ to ⅜c to ⅛c, initial sales being made at 73¾@73⅞@74. Selling orders were quite liberal at the start, and May eased off to 73¾, but the strength in corn and fears of damage by the colder weather soon caused a rally, most of the early loss being regained, and May advanced to 74¼@74⅜. Covering by shorts held the market steady the latter part of the day, and the close was ⅛c lower, at 74⅛. There was a fair trade in corn, but the business was confined largely to local account. The close was strong and near the top, May being up ⅜c at 44⅞@44⅜. Oats were helped some by the strength in corn. May closed a shade higher, at 34⅝. Light receipts of hogs and higher prices at the yards caused a strong opening in provisions, and with a good commission-house demand, together with buying for export account, a further advance was made. May pork closed 15c higher; lard was up 15c, and ribs 10 to 12½c higher.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
May	74⅛
July	71⅜
Corn, No. 2—	
May	
July	44⅝@44¾
Oats, No. 2—	43⅜@44
May	
July	34⅝
	31⅜

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was dull and easier; No. 2 spring wheat, 76@77; No. 3, 70½; No. 2 red, 72½@73½; No. 2 corn, 42⅝; No. 2 yellow, 42⅝; No. 2 oats, 33⅝; No. 3 white, 34½@35½; No. 2 rye, 49½; good feeding barley, 42@43; fair to choice malting, 47@51; No. 1 flax seed, 1.10; No. 1 northwestern, 1.12½; mess pork, per bbl., 18.10@18.15; lard, per 100 lbs., 10.05@10.15; short ribs, sides (loose,) 9.75@9.90; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 8.75@8.87½; short clear sides (boxed,) 10.37½@10.50; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.30; clover, contract grade, 12.50.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	19,400	25,300
Wheat, bushels	21,400	21,000
Corn, "	142,300	276,000
Oats, "	184,000	154,300
Rye, "	6,700	6,400
Barley, "	26,000	21,000

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was easier; creamery, 17@27½; dairy, 14@24; eggs, firm, 13¾@13½; cheese, steady to firm, 12@13½.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Close: Money on call rather easier at 4@6 per cent.; closing offered 5 per cent.; time money easier; 60 and 90 days, 5½@6 per cent.; six months, 5@5½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87 1-5@4.87½ for demand, and at 4.84@4.84 1-10 for sixty days. Posted rates, 4.85@4.88. Commercial bills, 4.83½@4.83¾. Bar silver, 48⅜. Mexican dollars, 38¼. Bonds, government, strong; State, inactive.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Spot wheat steady; options closed ⅛ lower; March, 82½; May, 78; July, 76⅜; September, 75. Hops easy. Hides and wool firm. Coffee, spot quiet; futures closed 5 points lower; March, 4.20; May, 4.30@4.35; July, 4.50@4.55; September, 4.65@4.70; December, 5.00@5.05. Sugar, raw steady; refined steady.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, March 20.—There was a sharp advance in the London tin market today, following yesterday's decline. Prices there gained £1 12s 6d, with spot closing at £134 17s 6d and futures at £132 7s 6d. The local market was quiet, steady and higher with spot quoted at 29.50@29.90. Copper was 2s 6d higher for spot, which was quoted at £65 7s 6d in London, but 7s 6d lower for futures at £64 2s 6d. Here copper was unsettled; standard 14.00; lake and electrolytic, 14.75@15.00; casting, 14.50@15.00. Lead unchanged. Spelter lost 2s 6d in London, where it closed at £22 17s 6d, and in New York it closed at 5.75. Iron unchanged, warrants nominal.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The market for evaporated apples shows no improvement in point of demand, but offerings are not pressing, and attractive fruit is steadily held. Common, 4@5; prime, 5¼@5¾; choice, 5¾@6½; fancy, 6@7½. Prunes are perhaps a shade more active, prices are easy and slightly lower. Quotations range from 3 to 7½ for all grades. Apricots continue in fair demand and are steady to firm at 7½@10½ in boxes and 7½@10 in bags. Peaches are dull and easy, but unchanged at 12@18 for peeled and 7@10 for unpeeled.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Butter—Receipts, 2300 packages; firm; State dairy, 20@27; creamery extra, 29; June creamery, 19@25½. Eggs—Receipts, 10,600 packages; unsettled; State and Pennsylvania, 17½; western, fancy, 17.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, March 20.—Sugar, raw steady; fair refining, 3¼; centrifugal, 96 test, 3¾; molasses sugar, 3; refined steady; crushed, 5.40; powdered, 4.90; granulated, 4.80.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, March 20.—The cotton market opened steady with a decline of 2 points to an advance of 2 points, and closed steady net 4 to 12 points lower.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, March 20.—Wool lower; Territory and western medium, 15@17; fine, 11@16; coarse, 12@15.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, March 20.—Close: Wheat, March, no sales; May, 6s 1¾d; July, 6s 1¼d.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA (Wash.) March 20.—Wheat, weak and 1c lower; blue stem, 81c; club, 76c.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) March 20.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 76; blue stem, 84; valley, 78.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) March 20.—Credit balances, 1.50; certificates, no bid.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.40@4.65; bakers' extras, 4.30@4.40; Oregon and Washington, 3.70@4.20.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.38¾@1.43¾; milling, 1.50@1.57½.

Barley—Feed, 1.13¾@1.16¼; brewing, 1.18¾@1.22½; Chevalier, 1.60@1.75.

Oats—Red, 1.20@1.30; white, 1.25@1.27½; black, 1.12@1.20.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 26.00@27.00; mixed feed, 19.00@20.00; rolled barley, 25.00@26.00.

Hay—Wheat, 11.00@14.00; wheat and oat, 11.00@14.00; oat, wild, 10.00@11.50; barley, 10.00@11.00; alfalfa, 10.00@12.00; clover, 10.00@12.00; straw, 45@62½.

Beans—Pink, 2.30@2.70; Lima, 4.15@4.25; small white, 3.10@3.25; large white, 2.15@2.25.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 60@90; river Burbanks, 35@60; Salinas Burbanks, 75@1.00; river reds, 30@35; Merced sweets, 1.65; Early Rose, 1.00@1.15; new, 2@3¼.

Various—Green peas, 4@8; string beans, 12½@15; tomatoes, 1.75@2.50; summer squash, 2.25; garlic, 3@3½; mushrooms, 25@35; rhubarb, 75@1.25.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 1.75; common apples, 40.

Citrus fruits—Oranges, navels, 75@2.25; seedlings, 65@1.25; Mexican limes, 4.00@4.50; California lemons, common, 75; fancy, 2.50.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.50; pineapples, 2.00@3.50.

Eggs—Ranch, 14@15.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 26; seconds, 24; fancy dairy, 23; seconds, 22½.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 15@17; dressed turkeys, 18@20; old roosters, 5.00@6.00; young roosters, 7.00@8.00; small broilers, 3.00@3.50; large broilers, 5.50@6.00; fryers, 6.00@7.00; hens, 5.00@6.00; ducks, old, 5.00@6.00; ducks, young, 6.00@8.00; geese, 2.00@2.50; goslings, 2.00@2.50.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 25,867; wheat, centals, 1980; barley, centals, 7355; corn, centals, 1340; potatoes, sacks, 4130; onions, sacks, 430; bran, sacks, 1470; middlings, sacks, 785; hay, tons, 451; straw, tons, 15; hides, number, 829; wine, gallons, 41,500.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Wheat weaker; May, 1.38½; December, 1.31. Barley no sales. Corn, large yellow, 1.37½@1.40. Bran, 20.00@21.00.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—Silver bars, 48¼; Mexican dollars, 39; drafts, sight, 12½; telegraph, 15.

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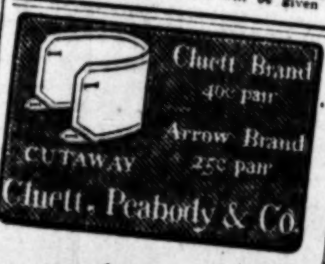

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[NEWS REORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

DESPERATE FOOTPAD SHOOTS AND KILLS.

ADOLPH KOMP MURDERED FOR RESISTING ROBBERY.

Bloody Crime in Colton Freight Yards and Perpetrator Escapes—Double Hold-up in San Bernardino—Upland Annexationists Win in Court.

SAN BERNARDINO, March 20.—Adolph Komp, a blacksmith employed by Grant Bros., on the construction of the Salt Lake road below Riverside, was fatally shot last night in the Southern Pacific yards at Colton, several hundred yards east of the station. He died this morning. At the point of a revolver Komp was held up by a highwayman, presumably a 'hobo, and upon his refusal to hand over his money was shot. The bullet entered his left side, passing far into the body. Immediately after firing the shot the footpad ran and escaped. The report of the revolver was heard by a number of railroad men, who quickly went to Komp's assistance. The wounded man was placed in a wagon and taken to the County Hospital here, where death ensued. The victim was conscious almost to the end, and described his assailant as about 5 feet 6 inches high, weight about 150 pounds, wore a white hat, light colored coat, and overalls; has light sandy mustache, and is about 35 or 40 years of age.

An autopsy was held over the remains of Komp this afternoon. It was found that the bullet had entered the left side below the heart, glanced on the seventh rib, and was deflected downward, passing through the left kidney and lodging against the base of the spine and the left hip. The man had bled internally, his death being caused by the wound, the shock and internal hemorrhage. The verdict of the jury was in accordance with the facts.

DOUBLE HOLD-UP.

Two footpads held up two men in the southern part of the city last night. One man didn't have any money, and was clubbed on the head with a revolver. The other victim, named Montijo, was robbed of $16.

LLOYD DENIES.

Capitalist Lloyd says of the report from San Francisco to the effect that another alleged Mrs. Lloyd has been discovered, that the story is an absolute falsehood. He believes he knows the woman to whom the report refers, and that they first met forty years ago in England. He denies, however, that he knows anything about her subsequent history. He admits he has befriended her, but denies any intimate relationship.

ANNEXATION WINS.

Judge Bledsoe handed down his opinion today in the North Ontario or Upland litigation. Those opposing annexation lose in both cases. The first case, Walline against the town of Ontario, is a proceeding in quo warranto to oust the defendant from the exercise of municipal sovereignty over certain described territory. The town justified by alleging valid and lawful annexation of the whole of such territory. Judge Bledsoe takes up the objections seriatim and decides them all against the relator, Walline. The other case is W. T. Leeke against the Board of Trustees of Ontario. The court ordered the defendant to show cause why a writ of review should not issue, directed to the Board of Trustees of Ontario, commanding them to certify up the record containing the proceedings had upon the annexation of certain territory. The court holds that there was unreasonable delay. The application is denied, and the order to show cause heretofore made is discharged.

BERDOO BRIEFS.

Harry G. Lesher, a well-known resident of this city died last night at his home, corner of C and Seventh streets, aged 46 years. He had been in ill health for several years, and made his home with his parents. He was a member of the Knights of Pythias Lodge and the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

The total registration of the city, as shown by the official figures, is 2202.

Souvenirs of California. The Times has had printed and bound in suitable folio form twenty-four large, original, and exceptionally-beautiful California souvenir views. They make a very appropriate and artistic souvenir of California to send to eastern friends, or for tourists and visitors to take home with them. Price, 50 cents each. (Extra charge, for postage or expressage, 18 cents.) On sale at Times office, Los Angeles, and at all agencies and news stands.

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REDLANDS.

TO CHECK THE AUTOS.

REDLANDS, March 20.—The danger to life and limb caused by the excessive and reckless speed at which automobiles are run through the streets has become so great that the City Trustees will check the flyers. Last night an ordinance was introduced to regulate the machines. A district has been formed, bounded on the north by Colton avenue, on the south by Cypress avenue, on the east by Reservoir street, and on the west by Center street, and there the horseless vehicles will not be allowed to go faster than twelve miles an hour. Bells or other alarms must be carried and sounded between forty and sixty feet from any person or vehicle ahead of the machine. At night lights must be carried. In crossing intersecting streets and turning corners, they must not be run more than four miles an hour. The penalty for violation of the ordinance will be a fine not exceeding $50.

IN BRIEF.

The Southern Pacific proposed to establish a lumber yard at Fourth street and West Central avenue, and went through the formality of asking permission. The City Trustees denied the request, as the location is within the fire limits.

Last evening the Men's League of the First Christian Church dined at the Hollenbeck café. Post-prandial speeches were made until a late hour. Rev. W. G. Conley, pastor of the church, was toastmaster, and toasts were responded to as follows: "Institutional Church," by Prof. C. T. Wright; "Why Some Men Do Not Go to Church," J. E. Sargent; "How Men Can Help the Pastor," was by Rev. J. W. Wright of Champaign, Ill., who is sojourning in the city; "The Press," Col. W. L. Vestal, editor of the Facts. Other remarks were made by Prof. A. H. Collins, J. Wayne Amos and Oscar Pepper.

"All roads dead to Rome," and all telephone wires to The Times office. Telephone your wants to Red 1025, and our Redlands agency will take your ad. and send it to the main office.

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SANTA ANA.

IN DEATH'S WAKE.

SANTA ANA, March 20.—Mrs. M. D. Arnold, wife of the proprietor of Lincoln's Inn Café, died yesterday at her home on West Fifth street at the age of 63 years. Mrs. Arnold had been suffering some time from a stroke of paralysis. Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the Catholic Church, Father Hubbell officiating.

C. V. Thompson, who was until two years ago a resident of this city, died yesterday at his home in Whittier. The body will be brought here tomorrow and interred in the Santa Ana cemetery at 10 o'clock, under the auspices of the local A.O.U.W., of which he was a member. Mr. Thompson was 71 years old and leaves a son, A. V. Thompson.

The funeral of the late C. W. Hollister was held this afternoon at the family residence on East Santa Clara avenue.

SHORT PARAGRAPHS.

A. C. Black has announced his candidacy for Councilman from the Fourth Ward. He is a contractor and builder.

A divorce was granted today to Joseph des Granges of Anaheim from Kate N. des Granges on the grounds of extreme cruelty. Des Granges alleged that his wife frequently locked him out of the house and refused to prepare his meals.

A marriage license was issued today to Herbert S. Ashe, aged 21, and Laura E. Heinzman, 19, residents of Los Angeles.

The child-study circle will meet at the High School building Monday afternoon to consider the proper uses and privileges of public school buildings.

J. W. Shirley has brought a suit against the Sunset Telephone Company to recover $15,000 as damages for alleged injuries sustained by falling into an open post hole dug by employés of the company on Fourth street. Shirley has not yet recovered from his injuries.

W. C. Burdick has sold his twenty-acre ranch, a miles northeast of Orange, to Edward Harrison for $6000. A nine-acre ranch in the A. B. Chapman tract near Orange, owned by T. G. Steward, has been sold to W. L. Salisbury for $4000.

The contract for the two-story brick building 75x100 feet, at Fourth and Spurgeon streets, to be built by W. B. Hervey, has been awarded to George E. Preble, work to be begun at once.

E. St. John, arrested in Santa Monica a few days ago for beating a board bill at the Saddlerock Restaurant here, is held in jail pending his promised settlement of the obligation. Other creditors are presenting claims.

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SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

STRIKE PETERING OUT.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, March 20.—There are further indications that the labor-union strike is petering out. It is believed that it will die a natural death within a few days. Today it was unofficially announced that the painters and carpenters' unions will pull out from the Federated Trades combination, their superior bodies having decided that the strike was unauthorized and no benefits can be drawn. The statement is that the applications for release are already in, and that whether or not they are granted the painters and carpenters will go to work Monday morning.

BAY'N CLIMATE NOTES.

It is stated here that the first action to be taken for the passage of a law for the consolidation of country school districts was by the School Trustees Association of this county, in 1899. This county will receive more benefits from the new law than most counties from the fact that more schools are located in sparsely-settled districts.

There is more interest in the special bond election than in the regular city election. The City Council proposes an issue of $500,000. The "knockers" figure that this will bring the tax rate up to a fancy figure, and they have decided to get in and fight the proposition. The friends of the measure are confident that it will carry.

Among the trap shooters of Southern California there is much interest in the two days' tournament of the Pastime Gun Club, which will open tomorrow and continue until Monday evening.

We are on the other end of your 'phone. Telephone your wants to Red 1042, and our San Diego agency will take your ad. and send it to the main office.

SAME OLD TAX ISSUE.

Another Illustration of the Difficulties that Attend the Collection of Imposts on Personal Property.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, March 20.—James R. Keene and the city of New York are engaged in an interesting legal battle, which may have far-reaching effects, on the question of the payment of personal taxes. Mr. Keene is to be the first man examined under the new method of supplementary proceedings. He is to be summoned to court and examined in detail as to his property.

The corporation counsel contends that Keene owes the city $1747 for personal taxes for 1901. Keene has informed the corporation counsel that he will not pay this tax, because in that year he was a resident of Hempstead, Nassau county.

As soon as the lawyers of the department for collection of arrears on personal property heard of Mr. Keene's defiance, they served notice that if he did not pay, the city could compel him to be examined in supplementary proceedings. In reply to this, lawyers representing Keene called at the office of Martin Saxton, who is at the head of this branch of the tax department, announcing that Keene would fight out in the courts the payment of the taxes.

THOUSANDS suffer from a short, hacking cough who might be cured by Piso's Cure.

THE TIMES MAGAZINE the coming Sunday will contain a highly interesting letter from a Southern California woman, describing the Durbar at Delhi as she saw it on the last day.

STRANGE CONDITION OF OXNARD LABOR.

DANGEROUS AGITATOR IS GETTING IN HIS "WORK."

Virtual Boycott Against Large and Responsible Contracting Company by Misguided Workmen—Hordes of Mexicans Parade the Streets and Loaf.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

OXNARD, March 20.—The labor condition that obtains in this city is strange, and the end or extremity is not yet. It amounts to a boycott against the Western Agricultural Contracting Company, but the true agitators are hiding behind the alleged cause of "downtrodden workmen," and the true inwardness is concealed in heathen minds among the shacks of Chinatown.

Although the boycott and demonstration is made in the name of an association of Japanese and Mexican field hands, who, it is claimed, have not been receiving a large enough wage, the real persons, who would be benefited by the downfall of the large contracting firm, against whom the fight is directed, are the small, or independent, contractors. There are about fifteen of the small contractors, the majority of whom last season took sub-contracts from the Western Agricultural Contracting Company. The latter company, being financially reliable, was able to secure the majority, though it never attempted to monopolize all the work. Early in the year these independents organized and later worked up the present agitation, and bound several hundred Japanese and Mexicans together in a sort of union, the slogan of which is idleness, rather than labor with the Western Agricultural Contracting Company. The union imported a man by the name of Wheeler, a carpenter by trade, before he took to agitating, and now every evening the motley horde of Japs and Mexicans parades the streets to show its strength, and during the day endeavors to win from the contracting company the few loyal men who still stand by it.

So far the agricultural company has been able to keep enough men to satisfy its contracts, as the thinning season is late, but very soon a large acreage will fall ripe for the thinning, and the work will somehow have to be done. There has been little violence so far, but since the advent of Wheeler several attempts have been made to prevent laborers from working, one wagonload of Japs being abducted bodily from a field, and the contracting company has been obliged to patrol its camps with officers. Another week will undoubtedly see a marked change.

The laborers have been led to believe that if they refuse to work for the contracting company, when it is out of the field they will be paid better wages by the small contractors, the latter claiming that the large contracting company stood as a middleman and reaped a profit for unnecessary service. But so far as can be seen the field laborers have been paid no less wages since the advent of the company, and would be no more likely to get a rise after its departure than before it came. The fact is the revenue of the small contractor was cut by subletting, and they are the parties who are at the root of all the trouble and stand to win or lose. They are using every argument to win, and claiming that the contracting company forced men to take orders on certain stores in town. This is an absolute falsehood, and it is a fact that the contracting company has not issued an order of any kind this year.

The farmers will be much safer if the contracting company stays in the field, and labor will be in a bad way if a horde of small, irresponsible contractors is to be allowed to dominate the market.

VENTURA.

LARGE LAND DEAL.

VENTURA, March 20.—Justin and Frank Petit of Oxnard have purchased the Spear rancho near Bardsdale. The price paid was $35,000. The rancho comprises 400 acres, and is a valuable holding.

FIRST MULLET.

A mullet, the first ever caught in the channel waters this far north, was landed by fishermen today. The specimen weighed twenty pounds.

PIPE OF PEACE.

The pipe of peace has been smoked in the wigwam of Big Chief Wilson of the Seattle Siwashes, and all is again peace and love, and "jumping" is a forgotten word among them. Every member of the tribe has promised to be good the rest of the season, and Parke Wilson is as happy as sunshine the whole day through, and has rosy dreams by night. Hurley and McCarthy and Stovall, and the rest of them will stick by Wilson and play ball, no matter what comes.

WHARF NOTES.

The steamer Ramona took seventy-five boxes of lemons and 175 boxes of oranges for San Francisco yesterday.

The oil barge carried yesterday from this port 7893 barrels of oil to San Francisco.

The oil steamer George Loomis took on 6426 barrels of oil for Point Richmond.

The steamer Coos Bay, southbound, left thirty tons of miscellaneous freight for this port.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

DEAD AT MONTE CARLO.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, March 20.—A cablegram has been received from Monte Carlo announcing the death of Frederick A. Hamsh yesterday after a protracted illness. Baron Lewis Meyer, a brother-in-law of Mr. Hamsh, who was with him at the time, forwarded the news to friends of the deceased in this city. Mr. Hamsh was a young man of considerable wealth and was prominent in sporting circles in California as well as in Europe. He came to Santa Barbara several years ago and made this city his place of residence until about a year ago, when he returned to London, broken in health from the effects of consumption, one lung having been utterly destroyed. Mr. Hamsh was the husband of the Countess Ritter, divorced wife of a German army officer of high rank, who committed suicide near here about two years ago by shooting herself in the head at her home.

FOR THE PRESIDENT.

The ball was set rolling for the entertainment of the President May 9, when, at a meeting of the City Council last night, the Mayor appointed a committee of citizens to take charge of the affair. The President will spend at least three hours in Santa Barbara, and preparations will be made for a floral carnival in his honor. The committee in charge is: Thomas D. Wood, chairman; F. T. Underhill, R. Cameron Rogers, F. M. Whitney, R. B. Canfield, W. A. Hawley, William Wyles, Charles E. Bigelow, C. H. Frink, J. H. R. Wagner, W. H. Aiken, for Chamber of Commerce; Councilman H. L. Stambach, for City Council; Sherman P. Stow for Goleta, William Oothout for Montecito, Joel R. Fithian for Carpinteria, Mayor Edwards, the latter being placed upon the committee by request of the Council. The committee will hold a meeting early next week, when the programme for the reception and entertainment will be outlined.

BEATEN AND ROBBED WAS BILLY ABBOTT.

NOTORIOUS SAN FRANCISCO MAN IN ROUGH HANDS

Stopped in Bakersfield on Way Home from Los Angeles and Lost Face and Funds—Ball Player Arrested as Possible Assailant.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Billy Abbott, a notorious ex-dive keeper of San Francisco, was held up here early this morning in the tenderloin district, his face beaten to a jelly, and his entire funds and gold watch stolen. D. Gillespie, known all over the Coast as a baseball player, who played last with the Montana League and is engaged to play at Spokane next season, is in jail on suspicion. He denies the charge, but admits having met Abbott in the Standard Theater and drunk with him.

The ex-dive keeper, Gillespie says, was very drunk and making a great display of his money. Gillespie is a Bakersfield boy, having been raised here, and has never been in trouble before. Abbott was found this morning wandering through the street with his face in a shocking condition and his mind a blank. He has recovered sufficiently to send for funds to help him out. He had been to Los Angeles on business and had started home on the Owl last night, but got off at Bakersfield and went out to visit the tenderloin.

Abbott's San Francisco career is well known. He achieved much notoriety through the alleged robbery and fleecing of soldiers returning from the Philippines in his place, and his license was finally revoked.

WOMAN MURDERED.

Frankie Lee, the woman who was found dead in her room in the tenderloin district three days ago, "came to her death as the result of blows inflicted by some person unknown to the jury." That is the verdict rendered at the inquest today.

A. Libbey, a painter, with whom the woman had been consorting, and who is under arrest, testified that he had found her in the room on the floor, unconscious, but still warm, and called assistance. He denied having struck or abused her in any way. Dr. F. J. Crease testified that there were marks of a man's fist plainly seen on her face, and evidences that she had been kicked in the stomach by someone.

SCHOOLS AND TREES.

The County Teachers' Institute today resolved to form a permanent Arbor Day Association, consisting of the teachers of the county, the object being to improve school premises by an intelligent and well-directed effort at tree planting. Committees were appointed to arrange details, and it is intended to observe Arbor Day in every district in the county when the next tree-planting season comes. The suggestion was made by R. L. Stockton, County Superintendent of Schools.

VENEZUELA TO FRANCE.

PARIS March 20.—The French government has received a definite offer of $200,000 from Venezuela as a settlement of all claims of France, prior to 1902. The purpose of the offer is to avoid further arbitration of these claims, which originally amounted to much more than the sum offered. The whole amount will be paid when notice of France's acceptance, which is not yet given, is received.

EVIDENCE FOR THE CANUCKS.

MONTREAL, March 20.—Search in the Chateau De Ramsey by request of Joseph Hope, Under Secretary of State, and one of the comissioners preparing the Canadian case for the Alaskan Commission, has brought to light two atlases of 1822 and 1824. One of these gives a map of Russian-America and British-America, in which the Lynn Canal is shown clearly within British-America. The maps will be exhibits in the Canadian case.

The American and Chinese commissioners have resumed their treaty negotiations, the Americans having withdrawn their objection in which they refused to negotiate unless the Chinese commssoners were granted full powers. The Japanese commissioners are restive at the slowness and the barren results of the negotiations, due to Chinese indifference.

INFLUENZA AGAIN.

ANOTHER EPIDEMIC OF THE GRIP IS ANTICIPATED.

Many Cases Reported Already in this Part of the Country—A Common-Sense Remedy for the Disease and Its Effects.

Owing to the climatic conditions this year many physicians fear another epidemic of the grip, that form of influenza which so many have cause to remember. In some cases this disease has run its course with but little more severity than a hard cold, in others it has caused acute sickness. In nearly every case it has left a train of after-effects more troublesome than the disease itself. It is characteristic of the grip that ordinary medicines will not cure it permanently. The patient seems to have recovered and then suffers a relapse more severe than the first attack. The trouble in such cases is that the disease was not thoroughly eradicated from the system by the treatment employed.

Miss C. A. Peck, of No. 633 East Fourteenth street, Minneapolis, Minn., had a very severe attack of grip in 1889, and it left her prostrated. "I could not get over that feeling of utter exhaustion," she says. "I had no ambition to do anything and any little exertion made me out of breath and tired out. I grew thin, nervous and irritable. Then I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and the first box made me feel better. Four boxes restored me to my natural good health."

The after-effects of the grip are often worse than the disease and many times they baffle all efforts of the best physicians to drive them out of the system. Health is shattered—the blood becomes poor, the flesh falls away, the sufferer grows nervous and irritable, and even slight exertion causes shortness of breath. These are dangerous symptoms and indicate that the system is in a state that invites pneumonia, bronchitis or even consumption. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People will quickly restore the health after an attack of grip and expel the lingering germs, and, working through the blood, will render the system proof against the disease. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y., fifty cents a box; six boxes for two dollars and fifty cents.

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She Made a Change.

A Charleston Mother Did So With Advantage to Herself and Children.

A mother living in Charleston, Mass., the happy possessor of four children, writes: "Every fall and winter I have laid in a stock of cough remedies, croup mixtures and throat medicines for my children, for somehow or other they never seem to be free from colds, coughs or sore throat.

"This fall I made a change in the usual programme. I had myself been cured of an obstinate catarrh, from which I had suffered for years, by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, and as they were pleasant to take, I determined to try them with my children. Our family physician told me he knew them to be perfectly safe and nothing better could be used for catarrh, coughs and colds.

"So I gave them to the children and have continued to do so ever since, whenever there is the least sign of croup or sore throat, and I no longer dread the approach of cold weather as I once did.

"Stuart's Catarrh Tablets not only cured me of chronic nasal and throat catarrh, but they have saved me many an anxious night with my little ones. The children like the taste of them and it is really wonderful how quickly they will break up a croupy cold or an obstinate, deep-seated cough."

People who have used sprays, inhalers, salves or washes for catarrh and have found how useless they are, will be agreeably surprised at the results following the use of a pleasant, convenient, internal remedy in tablet form. Druggists everywhere admit that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, which sell for 50 cents full-sized package, is the safest, most effective and popular of catarrh medicines.

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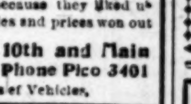

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WOMEN'S WOES.

The woes of womankind are many; few are who do not suffer from many aches and pains. A woman's kidneys are greatly overt household duties and other cares constantly strain on the kidneys.

When the kidneys are worked they rebel; they out through the back, and backache pains are pains.

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LOS ANGELES PROOF:

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Office—203 Tajo Bldg.

Auction
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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

ATTEMPT TO KIDNAP PASADENA'S GUEST.

LOS ANGELES TRIES TO GET THE PRESIDENT FOR ALL DAY.

Entertainment Committee Wires Chief to Keep His Date—Petition Circulated for Protection of Mountain Trout—Rise Water—Fatal Car Accident.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 39 South Raymond avenue, March 20.—Los Angeles is trying to kidnap the President away from us, but the committee having in charge the entertainment of the Nation's Chief will make a hard fight to prevent this. The President's secretary wrote to Mayor Rose that the party would be here by 10 o'clock of May 8, and would remain two hours. Now the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce has telegraphed to the secretary that it would greatly please them if Roosevelt could arrive in the City of the Angels by 9 o'clock in the morning. They plead that if he delays longer than that the town will be wilted.

Yesterday willed Los Angeles flowers and Pasadena hearts, says the Pasadena committee. This committee was here yesterday and met in the afternoon at the Board of Trade rooms. The members are C. C. Reynolds, representing the City Council; Harry Geohegan, Merchants' Protective Association; Robert P. Boynton, Board of Trade; A. Wilson of the G.A.R. Aides are Dr. H. J. Palmer, L. F. Chapin and J. A. Graham of the Board of Trade, and Benjamin Jarvis of the G.A.R. committee, without mentioning the mayor of Los Angeles to kidnap the President, sent a telegram to Secretary William Loeb, Jr., answering his question for arrangements by saying simply that arrangements have been completed to receive the President during the hours of 10:30 and 12:30 o'clock of May 8.

"I do not think that the Los Angeles plan will be successful in their efforts in this direction," said President Boynton of the Board of Trade yesterday. "The President has expressed his desire to visit Pasadena. He personally wrote his secretary to place this city on his itinerary. We have every assurance that he will visit us. The City Council and Mayor have been officially told that he will come here and I believe that the Los Angeles people want him to cut us out."

FATALLY STRUCK.

Harry Day of Los Angeles was struck by a short-line electric car near Alhambra yesterday evening, shortly before 6 o'clock, and will die. He is unconscious at the Pasadena sanitarium with a fracture of the spine and of the skull.

Day is 19 years of age, and his parents live in Los Angeles. He was employed as clerk for Shattuck & Desmond, feed hay and grain dealers of Pasadena, who have the contract for feeding the work gangs of the Pacific Electric. Yesterday afternoon he left the camp off business, and got on the work train. He got off at the south-bound car at Alhambra junction, and stood on the railroad track with his back to the car that was coming up from behind. Before he knew the car was near it struck him and hurled him forty feet. The car that struck him left Los Angeles at 5:56 o'clock.

Day was found lying beside the track, unconscious, and was taken in the ambulance to the Pasadena hospital. Dr. Rowland, the company physician, examined him and found a fracture. The physician said this afternoon that he did not think Day would live. His entire lower body is paralyzed.

It has been attached by witnesses to Conductor Root or Motorman Avery of the car that struck the boy. The victim seems to have lost his balance, and was knocked into the car before he realized that he was going to the track.

BEWARE THE FISH.

Action which Constable S. L. Hamilton is taking has any influence with the Supervisors, the time when fishermen will not have to worry concerning the fabulous limit of representatives of the fish they have snagged. The fish is being signed by fishermen, and will be presented to the Supervisors at their next meeting for the purpose of preventing the termination of mountain trout. A petition of the same kind is being circulated at Monrovia, and will likely be taken the Los Angeles.

The fish law makes the open season and reel in the San Gabriel river to December 1. The fish say that this is not long enough season should be from June 1, on grounds that are set forth in the document. During the months are forced by the low streams to slink into the pools where the water is low. At this time there is no difficulty for a fisherman to clean out an entire pool. It isn't sport, but the season were made for will be higher and there will be more sport and not such slaughter.

Trout have not been stocked in the past two seasons, and as a result are scarce. When fishing this year the pools will be cleaned out entirely. Last year when they came out of the cañon they had 700 fish apiece. Another petition would have in force is that not more than may be caught in one day by one person, and no person may have more than 100 trout in his possession at one time.

LOW WATER.

Water companies are planning changes in their plants and the expenditure of $10,000 will probably be necessary. The spurt is for the purpose of keeping whistles wet during the scorching summer time when the water is low and thermometers high. President A. K. McClure of the City Water Company and Secretary H. G. Bennett of the Water Company and Directors Thomas Clarke and C. C. Chapman of the Vineyard Company returned from a trip of inspection to the Redlands, Colegrove and Los Angeles, and the purchase of machinery utilized to place a pump at the Vineyard pump by the company.

GOING THERE.

Superintendent of Terrace Drive, has been given to public information remembered that last year Mr. Fowler received $1200. Now President Edwards is in receipt of a check for $1500, which was sent by Mr. Fowler at Honolulu.

John D. Rockefeller left yesterday upon a visit to the Grand Cañon of the Colorado, accompanied by Mrs. Rockefeller and Dr. Biggar. They will remain over Sunday and will be joined here early next week by John D. Jr.

T. L. Stringham, a carpenter, aged 63 years, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 135 Avenue 53, Los Angeles. The funeral will be held in this city.

The death of Mrs. Rusia Ives, aged 65 years, occurred yesterday at her home, No. 315 North Fair Oaks avenue. She was the wife of Dr. F. B. Ives, was a native of New York and had lived here five years.

Congressman James McLachlan arrived home on Wednesday, and has been quietly gardening about his place on South Marengo avenue. He says he has been lying low because he needs rest.

A chicken thief is amusing himself in North Pasadena. On Thursday night F. S. Goodspeed's coop was entered by a thief who made good speed with forty-five lay members.

The Home Telephone Company has rented a brick warehouse belonging to J. H. Stalker and located adjoining the company's building property on North Raymond avenue.

D. B. Johnson, superintendent of Alliance work in New York State, will address the Alliance meeting Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Mills Block on West Colorado street.

Souvenirs of California. The Times has had printed and bound in suitable folio form twenty-four large, original, and exceptionally-beautiful California souvenir views. They make a very appropriate and artistic souvenir of California to send to eastern friends, or for tourists and visitors to take home with them. Price, 50 cents each. (Extra charge, for postage or expressage, 18 cents.) On sale at Times office, Los Angeles, and at all agencies and news stands.

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TROPICO.

NEWS NOTES.

TROPICO, March 20.—The Tropico Improvement Association will meet Monday evening, when final arrangements will be made for the Farmers' Institute in G.A.R. Hall, April 9 and 10. Several prominent citizens of Los Angeles will talk on the proposed trolley line to Tropico.

The social given by Mrs. C. E. Doffelmeyer and Miss Ellen Chase at G.A.R. Hall Wednesday evening, was a charming success. A musical and literary programme was rendered, followed by ping-pong and crokinole. Light refreshments were served.

Mrs. Ida C. Strong entertained the As You Like It Club Friday evening.

Invitations have been issued by F. C. Hezmalhaich, formerly a resident of this valley, to a soiree and fencing exhibition Tuesday evening, at G.A.R. Hall.

SANTA MONICA.

MANY PEBBLES ON BEACH.

SANTA MONICA, March 20.—The beach is thickly covered with small stones. Ordinarily few of them are seen, and the shore is of sand. Sometimes, when the sea is in an uncommonly serene mood, fine sand is deposited. When old Neptune has just a little tiff, he litters the shore with coarse sand, but when his anger rises he sometimes smites the ocean's edge with tons and tons of pebbles. That condition, which has prevailed lately, has attracted many seekers of souvenir stones and the beach is being pretty thoroughly picked over by them.

SANTA MONICA NOTES.

The spaces about the arches of the steel bridge on Ocean avenue, south of Colorado avenue, are being filled with sand. The sand is hauled by the Los Angeles-Pacific Railroad Company from Ocean Park, in dump cars.

Mrs. Angela Schlister, Miss Agnes Schlister and Mrs. Emilia Requena Cuspinera of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Belle Stoddard of Milwaukee, Wis., are staying at the Arcadia.

Small "want" advertisements in The Times bring swift and sure returns. Telephone your wants to Main 95, and our Santa Monica agency will take your ad. and send it to the main office.

OCEAN PARK.

WOMAN FALLS IN SURF.

OCEAN PARK, March 20.—Mrs. Argyle of Spokane, Wash., was bathing in the surf north of Hill street this morning, when she fell helpless. She took in a good deal of salt water before others who were bathing nearby could get her up onto the beach. She was carried to the cottage "Bythesea" on Hill street, where it was reported later in the day that she was doing nicely and that no serious results were feared.

FISHERY EXPANSION.

"The fishery industry in Southern California is in need of expansion," said Capt. J. Addison Smith today. "Not many years ago when Los Angeles was a town of 25,000 people and when the tourists who came to Southern California were numbered by the hundreds instead of by the thousands the fisheries were able to fairly satisfy the demand. Since then the great increase in population and the growth of rapid transit freight facilities has many times increased the consumption in Southern California, Arizona and further eastward. The supply system has not kept pace with the increase in demand, and unless provision be made for it the market is likely to be short on fresh fish a good deal of the time. A large part of the present supply for the market is furnished by small sailboats and skiffs, which put out regularly in fair weather, but which stay ashore at other times. It seems to me that the fishing industry should be placed on the same basis as on the Atlantic Coast, where boats of considerable size put out from fifty to one hundred miles in quest of fish and frequently lay out over night so as to be ready to haul the fish in the morning. Such boats, provided with suitable compartments, could keep the fish alive until they get them near shore, and longer if it were desired."

OCEAN PARK NOTES.

Mrs. George D. Ruddy entertained a number of Los Angeles friends Thursday afternoon.

Flowers are becoming plentiful on the sandy spaces in and about Ocean Park and on the hill back from the beach.

FRANK G. CARPENTER'S letter in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday will tell about Berlin as it is today.

SAN PEDRO.

IMPORTANT CANNERY DEAL.

SAN PEDRO, March 20.—Negotiations between the San Pedro Canning Company and the Pacific Canning and Exploration Company of Lower California, for the purchase of the latter's plant, are in progress. W. W. Beach, manager of the former concern, returned Saturday, after having spent several weeks in Lower California inspecting the holdings of the Pacific company, and investigating the outlook for shell-fish, turtles, abalones, lobsters, etc., of which his establishment is making a specialty in preparing for market.

Mr. Beach is much pleased with the prospects for further development of the fish-canning industry in Lower California, and states that the purchase of the Pacific company's plant will be made in the next few days. Parties at the head of the concern are in Los Angeles, where negotiations are under way.

The Pacific company holds valuable concessions from the Mexican government, giving it exclusive right to fish in all waters east, west and south from, and surrounding the peninsula of Lower California. Its present headquarters is at San Quentin. It is understood to be the intention of Mr. Beach and his associates to make San Pedro the permanent location of the head factory. A line of small vessels will probably bring the fish here to be canned.

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL.

A movement, back of which are many prominent citizens of this city and surrounding country, is on foot to establish a central high school here, the intention being to merge the San Pedro, Wilmington, Lincoln and Terminal districts into a union high-school district. At present there are a number of children in this city attending the high schools at Long Beach and Los Angeles, and the expense to parents, coupled with uneasiness arising from their children's absence from home, is greater than would be required to maintain an institution of the kind here. San Pedro is growing rapidly, and with the close of the present term in the grammar schools, there will be a large number of pupils fitted for high school. It is said that the County Superintendent of Schools favors the establishment of a central high school in this city, and there is much interest manifested locally in the movement.

BUSINESS NEWS.

It is said that a company is to be formed to establish a direct line of steamship communication with points in China; which, if correct, will mark the inauguration of a new era in San Pedro.

A remarkable increase in all lines of business is noticeable. Statements given out by the Bank of San Pedro and the State Bank give evidence of the city's rapid growth. An increase of more than 80 per cent. during the past two months is noted in the business of the former institution, while there was an advance of over 130 per cent. in the latter's business during the past year.

LORDSBURG.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

LORDSBURG, March 20.—O. R. W. Robinson and J. W. Jeffrey, Horticultural Commissioners, yesterday made an official inspection of the orchards of Pomona, La Verne and San Dimas. They were accompanied by J. W. Mills of the Pomona Experiment Station and F. Wheeler of La Verne.

The W. A. Johnstone Reception Committee has been snowed under with requests for seats from neighboring towns, that it was soon discovered that the Woodman Hall will not be large enough for such an occasion, and the large auditorium of the Lordsburg College has been secured.

E. T. Keiser of Lordsburg has sold his ten-acre orange and lemon orchard at San Dimas to C. H. Kenny for $10,000.

Mrs. W. N. Beyerle of La Verne has returned from San Francisco, accompanied by her brother, L. T. Lewis. After a few weeks' rest, Mr. Lewis will go to Northfield, Mass., to take a course of study in the Moody Institute.

Mrs. John R. Young, wife of the chief clerk of the United States District Court of Washington, D. C., is visiting at the home of her brother, Frank H. Massey.

Philo Ford and wife of Bertrand, Neb., are visiting at the home of W. Atkinson.

POMONA.

NEW FREIGHT DEPOT.

POMONA, March 20.—The entrance to the Salt Lake's freight depot will be on Gibbs street, and the building will be about 170 feet long. The cement foundation is already finished. The freight house will be 26x100 feet, and the office part of the building will be 26x36 feet, where there will be rooms for teamsters, the freight agent and several clerks. Wide platforms will surround the structure, and on the east side will be an open shed, 26x26 feet. Nine ten-foot doors will open from the freight building. The depot is being built in anticipation of the city's growth.

The Independent Non-Partisan party has opened headquarters at Second and Main streets.

The young men of the Methodist Church have organized a "Baraca" class for the promotion of Christian knowledge and Bible study.

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OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE

The D.O.F. entertained last evening in honor of the L.I.Z. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Roth, No. 841 Union avenue. Pink and white were used in decorating. Music and games afforded pleasure. Partners for the games were chosen by matching bits of poetry, and the winners, Miss McClung and Mr. Kimball, were given framed etchings for their diligence. A large dining-room comfortably seated the thirty-two guests—the Misses McClung, E. McClung, Merrill F. Gordon, McComb, McCready, Huntsberger, Means, Williams, Bond, Rogers, Powell, Poor, Herskovits, M. Herskovits and Howe, and Horace Cleland, R. Cleland, Solomon, Schawer, Kimball, McClung, McClanahan, Raney, Walker, Miller, Hammack, Lee, Buell, Bacon and Huntsberger.

The home oratorical contest will be held at the Y.M.C.A. auditorium April 3. The proceeds will go to the fund for the commencement Aurora.

The news of the death of Mrs. Harriet Hagerman, mother of J. F. Hagerman of the Freshmen class, cast a shadow over the school.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, March 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Waldorf, Mrs. P. Wiseman; at the Grand Union, Rev. P. H. Henahan.

MINES AND MINING.

MICHIGAN CAPITALISTS CAN'T GET ENOUGH.

CONTINUE TO BUY BISBEE COPPER PROPERTIES.

Another Important Deal Closed This Week—"Lost Frenchman" Mine Believed to Have Been Found—Reported Strike Near Kingman was a Frost.

Michigan capital continues to enact remarkable mining deals in the Bisbee copper camp of Arizona. There seems to be no limit to the faith and the resources of eastern investors, and as a result first-class property in the district is becoming so scarce that it is now held at a high permium.

One of the latest sales in that district has just been closed. M. J. Brophy and others, among whom are local capitalists, transferred to a Michigan syndicate a group of claims situated to the southeast of the town of Bisbee. Through local parties interested it was learned that the first payment of $49,000 was made this week. Under the terms of the purchase development work is to be started at once, and the balance of the price, which amounts to nearly half a million dollars, is to be paid within the next eighteen months.

The Marquette and Arizona company has acquired additional territory, and one or two large deals are said to be in the air, as it is known that Michigan and New York capitalists are negotiating for property in the camp.

The advance of the red metal to 15 cents a pound has infused great impetus to operations, both in the camp proper and to the southeast, where numerous companies are at work. Many have met with great encouragement, while others are plugging away, confident that they will soon strike the continuation of the Bisbee deposit.

The Copper Glance company is carrying on extensive development on its property, where the main shaft has reached a depth of 500 feet. The Modern and Easter Sunday companies, both of which are backed principally by local capital, are also making good progress.

"LOST FRENCHMAN" FOUND.

The "Lost Frenchman" mine, in the search for which many prospectors have spent months of time and fortunes, has been found, according to the Phoenix Gazette. It reports that locators of the property have returned to Phoenix, bringing conclusive evidence that the lost has been found.

The mine was discovered in the early seventies by a Frenchman named Carrotte, who was commonly known throughout the southern part of Arizona as Charles Carrot. The first that was known of the find was when Carrotte showed up in Yuma with several bags of rich ore. He would not tell where he got the rock, which was thickly sprinkled with free gold. Frequently he appeared at Yuma and Tucson, and always with plenty of rich ore. All attempts at watching him failed, for he always left in the night, and was careful against being followed.

There came a time, however, when he no longer came with sacks of ore. Months elapsed, and the general opinion was that he had been killed by Indians. Then others took up the search. From the fact that Carrotte brought the ore both to Yuma and Tucson it was supposed that the mine was located between the two places, and the search was made in that part of the country, which is wild and barren.

A party of Phoenix prospectors believe they have located the old Frenchman's mine, which they say is situated south of the old Vekal silver mine in Pinal county. It is a little knoll in the center of a comparatively level plain. The shaft believed to have been sunk by Carrotte is fifteen feet deep, and the time that it was dug can be estimated from the fact that on the dump is a growing bush that has taken at least twenty-five years to reach its present size.

The mine promises to be a very rich one, as plenty of rock has been found that assays $200 to $400 to the ton. A party will leave Phoenix shortly to thoroughly prospect the property.

WAS NOT SO MUCH.

The stampede from Kingman to the locality of the reported great strike in western Mohave county, Ariz., is over. It now appears from information received in this city that the reports were circulated without very substantial foundation. Miners who have returned from the strike say that there have been some very fine specimens found, but there is very little of the ore. The ledge is about nine feet wide, and averages from $6 to $7 to the ton. The ledge is located at Mud Springs, between Kingman and Chloride.

LOCAL MINERS' MARKET.

On the Miners' Stock Exchange yesterday sales recorded were:

	Shares.	Price.
Frances	2,000	$ .10½
Frances	500	.10¾
Nevada Chief	500	.21¾
Total	3,000	$365.62½

Closing bids and offers recorded were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Frances	$ .10½	$ .10¾
Nevada Chief	.20¾	.21¾
Success	....	.31
Los Alamos	.07	.10

CONVENTION CALLED.

MINERS OF STATE TO ORGANIZE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—The Organization Committee appointed at the meeting of the mine owners on Wednesday has decided that the body shall be known as "The California Mine Operators' Association." A constitution and bylaws have been drafted and will be presented to the convention, which will be held on March 25 in the Palace Hotel. To this convention all the mine owners, operators and corporations will be invited. The committee meeting was executive.

At its conclusion Secretary Benjamin said:

"The objects of the association are to protect, foster and develop the mining industry in this State for the benefit of mine owners and miners. We think it necessary to form an association such as this, not for offensive purposes, but merely so that we may be in a position to meet whatever emergency may arise. It is quite incorrect to say that we are banded against unionism, and the story that we subscribed $300,000, or any other sum, to oppose the recognition of the unions is absolutely without foundation."

The Times is in receipt of a telegram from Edward H. Benjamin, temporary secretary of the association, in which e calls attention to the coming convention. On behalf of the Committee on Organization he extends an invitation to Southern California mine owners, operators and mining companies to attend the convention.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20. — The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	4	Justice	13
Andes	22	Mexican	145
Belcher	56	Occidental Con	44
Best & Belcher	240	Ophir	210
Bullion	6	Overman	57
Caledonia	250	Potosi	29
Challenge Con	37	Savage	37
Chollar	41	Sag Belcher	27
Confidence	140	Sierra Nevada	96
Con. Cal. & Va.	205	Silver Hill	60
Crown Point	39	Union Con	120
Gould & Curry	24	Utah Con	28
Hale & Norcross	74	Yellow Jacket	53

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Penurious Husbands.

Mrs. Mary Roberts Smith, who seems to have had an unpleasant experience with close-fisted husbands, is on the warpath to tell other women how to handle them. Mrs. Smith is professor of sociology at Stanford University, and her hints were conveyed to the ladies of Los Angeles at the Woman's Club House yesterday morning, under the head of "Household Administration."

The lecturer hanlied without gloves the men who force their wives to get on with uncertain dribs of cash, and asserted that the woman who is charged with the care of the house and of providing for the wants of the man himself, should have a specified sum upon which she could depend, and if she could save from her allowance that was her own good fortune, as the result of good management. If she failed to live within the allowance that was likewise her own lookout, and she should be compelled to make the best of it.

Tonight Prof. Henry Morse Stephens will deliver another in his course of university extension lectures, his subject being, "The Nationalist Historians."

On Wednesday afternoon the clubwomen will give a reception at the Los Angeles Orphans' Home, corner of Yale and Alpine streets.

Modern Art.

The special art topics, "William Morris" and "L'Art Nouveau," studied at this week's session of the Ruskin Art Club, were a departure from the course of study adopted for the year, in that they dealt with decidedly modern subjects. The class was led by Mrs. N. P. Conrey and Mrs. Alexander Caldwell. Mrs. G. L. Hutchinson gave an interesting sketch of the life of Morris, and Mrs. W. H. Housh read a paper on Morris's influence on decorative art. The subject of "The New Art" was treated by Mrs. Richard Pridham, who criticised it quite severely.

Mrs. A. S. C. Forbes responded to a request to speak to the club from her own experience, in having her house decorated by the Morris Decorating Company, while she was a resident in London, and the result, related in Mrs. Forbes's graphic manner, was one of the most enjoyable parts of the programme. Mrs. Caldwell read a paper on modern stained glass, and many illustrations were passed showing designs of Burne-Jones, Richmond and Holliday and the more recent ones of John Lafarge and Louis Tiffany. Miss Lewis gave an interesting talk concerning Florentine mosaic, and showed specimens of the work, which she also explained in detail, thus closing the morning's programme.

Whittier Meeting.

The Woman's Club of Whittier met Wednesday afternoon, the programme being under the direction of the literature section. Current events were handled by Mrs. C. P. Livingstone, Mrs. Hervey Lindley and Mrs. W. A. Swain. Among the numbers were papers by Mrs. D. C. Andrews and Mrs. W. F. Morse, and readings by Mrs. W. A. Swain and Mrs. G. W. Monroe. The club is vitally interested in village improvement work, and plans to do much along that line. It is working now for better streets and to help the Public Library. The next meeting will be on April 1, at the club's quarters at Masonic Hall.

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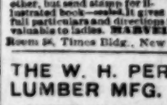

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NEW WALKING SUITS — All wool fancy mixtures; have blouse jackets; trimmed with plaits on back, front and sleeves; also plaited kilt skirts; the jackets also finished with sailor collar and cuffs; trimmed with black braid. It is a nicely tailored suit, correct in fit and style. Price.... $15.00

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BASEMENT.

BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for The Times by J. S. Kirtley.

For Sunday, March 22, 1903.

Eph., II., 1-10; "Paul's Message to the Ephesians."

THE CONNECTION.

We have had three lessons telling of the work at Ephesus. This lesson is from a letter Paul wrote back to them, and to the churches of that general region, about five years later, from Rome, where he was a prisoner. Much liberty was allowed him, and he used it well in instructing those who came to him, and writing letters to those who were in need of instruction and inspiration and cheer. Four letters came from that first imprisonment of two years—Ephesians, Colossians, Philippians and Philemon. The letter discusses the great truth of the new life in Christ, the unity of Christians with Christ, and with each other in Christ.—Dr. Stalker calls this the profoundest piece of literature in existence. Paul had spent three years at Ephesus, and a mighty work had been done in the surrounding cities, as well as at this great center. There were errors in doctrine and weakness in practice that needed correcting.

THE LESSON.

I.

"Dead Without Christ." (verses) 1-3.

"1. And you did He make alive, when ye were dead through your trespasses and sins, 2, wherein ye once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the powers of the air, of the spirit that now worketh in the sons of disobedience; 3, among whom we also all once lived in the lusts of our flesh, doing the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, even as the rest."

He is bringing out the doctrine of salvation by grace, which is rendered necessary by the very condition of the unsaved sinner—a condition of death. An object is dead when it is separated from that which gives it life. A limb is dead when the knife or something in its veins keeps it from receiving the life that flows through the tree, or something in its fiber that keeps it from appropriating it. When the heart of man ceases to respond to the heart of God, it is dead. Then we may say this death is,

(1.) Separation from God. Sin causes that.

(2.) Activity in sin. This makes deadness to God and holiness all the more distressing. To be dead to God is to be alive to evil. The sinful life not quiet—it "walks" in vigor and impudence, and conquering determination. The soul, dead to God, is in constant and immediate correspondence with the sources of evil, and is being led by them.

(3.) Conformity to the plans, wishes and habits of people who get no instructions from heaven, and act only on selfish worldly principles. Sin makes men worldly in the real meaning of that word.

(4.) Subordination to the devil. He is the father and promoter of evil. As he is unseen, yet present and powerful, he was called the prince of the air by the Jews. The designation is adopted, for it is sufficiently accurate for Paul's purpose. The sinner is under his sway. He is invisible and, therefore, all the more deadly. He is powerful and, therefore, to be dreaded. He has an organized following to oppose God's sway and is all the more resistless. He has control already over other sinners and can the more easily reach us. He has a course of conduct marked out for us and followed by the men of the world, and it is hard not to fall into their ways. To be dead to God is to be alive to satan.

This condition of sin is universal for "we all once" were in that condition, even though we are made alive in Christ. It was true of Jew and Gentile. It is distributive, also, for every one was dead. It is pervasive, for the lusts of the flesh dominated every high faculty so that every faculty was poisoned and every function perverted. The trail of the serpent is over all. Every part and power of soul and body has been affected by sin in some way. It is fatal, for it is a poison; it has put us under the yoke of satan, a foreign master; it has brought upon us the wrath of God; it will produce eternal separation from God.

II.

"Made alive through Christ." (Verses) 4-7.

"4. But God, being rich in mercy, for His great love wherewith He loved us, 5, even when we were dead through our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace have ye been saved,) 6, and raised us up with Him, and made us to sit with Him in the heavenly places, in Christ Jesus; 7, that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus."

(1.) This rescue from death is by means of life. The only hope for those who are dead is that they be made alive.

(2.) This rescue cannot originate with the sinner for obvious reasons, but with God, for He has life to impart and can lift upward.

(3.) It comes from God's mercy solely. That mercy is rich, or it would never tolerate us. It is the outgrowth of His love, and it was great love wherewith He loved us. That love was so great because He made us in His own image and owned us, and we had no right to deny Him ourselves. Because such a great love was insulted by our sins, it took a rich mercy to seek and save us.

(4.) This life is given to us in the midst of our sins. God does not require us first to quit our sins and then to be saved, but to accept His salvation in order that we may quit them. We are saved in our sins and then out of them. God's life, as it is brought to us in Christ, is planted like a pure white flower in the soil, reeking with filth and disease. From that nature, wherein death has been reigning all the time, that life gathers up all that can be saved and organizes it into the new life.

(5.) This life unites us vitally to Christ and fulfills in us the promise "because I live, ye shall live also," and enables us to say with Paul, "I live, yet not I, but Christ liveth in me."

(6.) It unites us vitally to all Christians in Christ.

(7.) It bestows peculiar honors and powers on us. Our lives are elevated to the level of His, exalted to the honors He enjoys. Even on earth, we sit in the heavenly privileges and dignities with Him. We get our instructions from heaven, cultivate the virtues of heaven, grow heavenly and thus realize something of heaven on earth.

(8.) It gives God a new opportunity to exhibit the riches of His mercy and kindness to us and in us, and thereby to the whole world. "The heavens declare the glory of God" because He created them in wisdom and power; the saints shall declare the glory of God more wondorously, because He recreated them through Christ Jesus in righteousness and true holiness.

III.

The Condition and the Purpose of it. (Verses) 8-10.

"(8.) For by grace have ye been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; (9) not of works, that no man should glory; (10) for we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus, for good works, which God afore prepared that we should walk in them."

Since one cannot make himself alive, there is nothing for him to do but to receive life. That is faith. It submits to the power that comes from above into the dead soul; trusts that power to reconstruct that soul; cooperates with that power. Because it is all of grace, there is nothing else needed but faith, nothing else possible, nothing else allowable. Faith in the divine Savior is the sole, yet the invariable, condition of salvation.

Faith confesses that we have no merit in ourselves; that we cannot acquire any merit apart from Christ, and that even with Christ's aid we shall never achieve anything for which we can honorably boast of ourselves. It is the only thing that will continue to make us feel that there is no merit in us. No work of ours could ever have made us alive and no work of ours will allow us to boast of it, after Christ has made us alive.

The purpose of the new life is that one may do good works. He does not do good works in order to be saved, but is saved in order to do good works. They are a natural product of a good life, as apples, and not poison, are the fruit of the apple tree. They are a proof of a good life, imperatively required. "By their fruits ye shall know them." They are food and healing for hungry souls. Through them Christ reaches other dead souls and makes them alive.

This purpose is all the more clear and urgent in the light of two tremendous facts—that we are God's good work, the greatest He has done that we know anything about, and that He has prepared everything necessary for us to do good works. The highest human product is that of the mind; the highest product of the mind is a poem. The word poem means "the work," for it is the preeminent work of human mind. This word "workmanship" is the same as "poem," and it means that a new life in Christ is the highest work of God. Our works must be good. God has made minute preparation to have us do them.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

Ye once walked according to the course of this world. Which, by the way, is the gait of most of the people you meet. They set their pace to that of the procession in which they are walking, and it's "according to the course of this world." They do not seem to realize that there is any other world or any other pace. Well, there's another "world" than this we live in. Its inhabitants walk in a swifter, nobler course." What you need to do, my little man, is to catch their gait. It's too hot a pace for loafers and sinners. You must lay off every weight and the sin that doth so easily beset you, and run with a sublime patience the race that is set before you, if you keep the gait of goal winners like Paul.—[Goss.

The boy whom I now hear vociferating at his playmate out on the road, "Oh, thou son of sixty dogs!" has no thought of anything beyond the boy whom he addresses, and whose spirit and doings he regards as worthy of a mere dog—or sixty times worse. Paul, when he addressed Elymas as the "child of the devil," may have meant that the sorcerer was devil-like. On the other hand, we say, "She is the daughter of generous people." We mean generosity is a leading principle in her life, and children of disobedience are those who are actuated by a principle of disobedience. A "child of wrath," like a "child of perdition," is one who deserves nothing else but wrath and perdition.—[Howie.

TRUTHS TO IMPRESS.

(1.) That to deny our death in sin is to doom ourselves to more sin.

(2.) That the children of disobedience are actuated by principles of rebellion.

(3.) That sympathetic association with sinners as such brings appropriation of their sins.

(4.) That one's whole salvation hinges on repudiation of all self-help.

(5.) That we can thank God's mercy for all our blessings.

(6.) That if we are alive to God we must stay alive and grow more so.

(7.) That we may always feel the thrill of being God's poems.

(8.) That, as His poems, we must show His mind and heart to men.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The Sin of Censoriousness.

Terse comments on the uniform prayer-meeting topics of the Christian Endeavor Societies, Baptist Young People's Unions, etc.

By William T. Ellis

For March 22: "Lessons From the Sermon on the Mount. What Christ Teaches About Judging Others."—(Matt. vii, 1-5.

The keen eye of Jesus saw the tendency in human nature to substitute criticism of the imperfections of others in place of virtue in one's self. He manifested least patience toward the class which, as a whole, was engaged in this practice. The Pharisees were so busy regulating the morals and manners of everybody else, and in thanking God for their own virtues, that they had no time for humble self-examination. They acted on the principle that if they were able to point out the defects of others, that fact took the place of the corresponding virtue in themselves. Even today the notion that ability to see a fault in another is equivalent to having its opposite is not altogether unknown. The Pharisees, and their modern successors, had not progressed far enough along the road of real culture and religion to know that it requires a finer order of talent to refrain from criticism than to indulge in it.

Only love should be allowed to criticise, for love alone sees straight.

It is the unripe and the inexperienced who judge their fellows most quickly and harshly. The person who himself has lived much is usually slow to condemn another, for he has felt something of the other's temptation, and in himself he has known at least a measure of the other's sin. Experience begets forbearance. Uncharitableness is always the result of ignorance or narrowness.

What we see and what we say reveals what we are.

The law is supposed to put its best men on the judges' bench for the highest wisdom and the broadest experience are not enough to make a perfect judge and to qualify a man to sit in final decision on the acts of his fellow men. If no man is fully qualified to judge of his fellows' obedience or disobedience to the human law, who is qualified, except the Great Judge, whose other name is Love, to pass judgment upon men's actions with respect to the divine law? Yet even the least of us is airily willing to sit in judgment upon almost any act of anybody, with little or no knowledge of the facts involved! Ah, the foolishness and the sorrow of it! As we appeal to heaven for judgment of ourselves, may we not accord to our brother the same privilege, withholding our own petty opinion in the meantime?

The nearer we approach to Christ's likeness, the more readily we exercise His charity.

Ability to see others' sinfulness is not saintliness.

THE HIGHEST EDUCATION.

Comments on the Epworth League Topic for March 22.

For March 22: "Christian Education."—(I Tim., vi, 3-9; II Tim., ii, 15-21.

"Education" means a leading out; Christian education means a leading upward. It is education of man's highest powers for man's highest use.

Religion is not something added to education; it is a spirit and a truth permeating all of education. And there can be no complete education without religion, for man has a soul, as well as a mind and a body.

The church has ever been the parent of the schoolhouse. Where spiritual liberty comes, there intellectual liberty speedily follows.

The country is beginning to awaken to the fact that a grievous error was committed when the clamorous voices of a noisy minority were heeded in many communities, and the Bible banished from the schoolroom. To keep our children ignorant of the Bible is to deny them a complete education.

A fair criticism of much modern culture is that it is cold and cynical; its chief talent seems to be ability to find fault. Christian education is not thus frigidly intellectual; it is education of the heart as well as of the brain. That is highest education which best makes a man the friend of his fellow-men, teaching him to feel with them and to employ his powers in their service. For the ultimate end of the best education is not knowledge, but life and service. That is why colleges graduate so many uneducated students, and life so many who are truly educated.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Sunday, March 22.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, FLOWER st., corner Pico (13th st.) Rev. Geo. Thos. Dowling, D.D., Rector; Rev. Chas. W. Naumann, Assistant Minister; Rev. Waldo F. Chase, Organist and Choirmaster. Holy communion and confirmation by the Rt. Rev. Joseph H. Johnson, D.D., Bishop of Los Angeles, at 11 o'clock; evening prayer, with sermon by Rev. J. A. Brown, at 7:30 p.m.; Sunday-school, with music by the orchestra, at 9:30. Both University and Pico Heights cars pass the door. Welcome.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL, S. OLIVE, between Fifth and Sixth sts. Rt. Rev. J. H. Johnson, D.D., Bishop; Very Rev. J. Whitney, D.D., Dean and Rector. Holy communion, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 a.m.; subject, "The Cry and Answer;" evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p.m.; subject, "The Prodigal." concluded. All sittings free. Strangers welcome to all the services. The Pro-cathedral is within easy walking distance of the leading hotels.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH (EPISCOPAL.) COR. Adams and Figueroa sts. Rev. B. W. R. Taylor, rector. Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.; morning service and sermon by the rector, 11 a.m.; full choral evensong and lecture on "The Holy Eucharist," 4 p.m. Strangers cordially invited to St. John's Church. All sittings free. Take Grand-ave. cars to Adams st., allowing twenty minutes from the leading hotels. The music is rendered by a large vested choir of men, women and boys.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH, CENTRAL ave. and 25th st. Rev. R. A. Heck, pastor. Preaching morning and evening; subjects, "The All-sufficient God" and "Expensive Traveling." Mr. Heck will lecture in Dieterich Hall, cor. Central ave. and Adams st., Wednesday evening, March 25, at 8 o'clock; subject, "Ten Years in the Slums of New York," drawing graphic pictures of the humorous and pathetic side of metropolitan life; admission 25c; tickets at the door.

INDEPENDENT CHURCH OF CHRIST, Simpson Auditorium, Hope st., between Seventh and Eighth. Rev. J. S. Thomas, pastor. Subject of sermon on Sunday morning, "The Providential Purposes of the Unitarian Denomination." This will be the seventh of a series of sermons on the Providential purposes of several denominations. The services begin at 10:45 a.m.; Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. All are invited. No evening service.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, CORNER Figueroa and 20th sts. Preaching at 11 o'clock by Rev. Aquilla Webb, Ph.D., pastor. Subject, "The Wonderful Name." No evening service on account of the union meeting at Simpson Auditorium. Take University, Washington or Grand-ave. car. The church will be well heated, as usual, the main auditorium having suffered no damage from the recent fire.

CHURCH OF THE ANGELS, AVENUE 64, Rector, Rt. Rev. J. H. Johnson, D.D.; chaplain, Rev. Walton Hall Doggett. Evensong with sermon at 3 p.m.; subject of sermon on the First Commandment, our relation to our parents, "The Law of Charity, in Its Fundamental Sense." Bus meets cars arriving at Avenue 64 (Mountain ave., Garvanza,) at 2:30 and 3:45 p.m.

VERNON CHRISTIAN CHURCH, ON 42TH st., near Central ave. T. D. Garvin, pastor. Revival services Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; preaching each evening of the week except Saturday, at 7:30 p.m. Evangelist Dowling of Pasadena and Mrs. Princess Long, the gospel singer, will conduct these meetings. Special meeting for men only on Sunday, 3 p.m.

IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, cor. Tenth and Figueroa sts. Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D., pastor. Preaching tomorrow morning by Rev. J. D. Moffat, D.D., president of Washington and Jefferson College. No serivce in the evening on account of the union meeting at Simpson Auditorium.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, COR. Sixth and Hill sts. Rev. Wm. Horace Day, pastor. Morning service, 11 o'clock. Dr. Warren F. Day will preach; no evening service; union service, Simpson Auditorium; musical service next Sunday evening.

PENIEL HALL—THE MISSIONARIES WHO are going out to join Horace Houlding's Mission in North China will speak at Peniel Hall tomorrow night. Tomorrow morning and throughout next week the Buck Family (singers) will be at the hall.

PLYMOUTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 21st st. and Estrella ave. Take University car to 21st st. Preaching by Rev. J. H. Mallows, 11 a.m., "The Heavenly Vision;" 7:30 p.m., "Is the Church Selfish?"

CENTRAL AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL Church, cor. 28th st. N. L. Rowell, D.D., pastor. Morning, "Increase Through Diffusion;" evening, "The [illegible]. Seats all free.

ST. ATHANASIUS PROTESTANT Episcopal Church, 406 Custer ave., one block Sunday services, 7:30, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Rev. R. M. Church preaches morning and evening.

CARRIE NATION WILL LECTURE in the Temperance Temple, cor. Temple and Broadway, tonight; subject, the Home. Everybody welcome to hear the smashing Kansas.

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PARK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Temple and Metcalf sts. Rev. H. Jerome Stalling of Chicago, formerly of Los Angeles, will preach morning and evening. Rev. Thos. Hessler.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION. Mr. E. L. Shuey of Dayton, O., will address the regular men's meeting this afternoon at 4 o'clock. All men invited.

SECOND UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church, Washington and Burlington aves. Rev. Hy. Crabbe, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

DIVINE SCIENCE SERVICES—Rev. Emma Hemmer of San Francisco will speak on the subject of "True Healing." Hall 229 S. Broadway, 2:30 p.m.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH, Hoover ave. and 23d st. Rev. Chas. S. Nutter, pastor. Regular morning and evening services.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Vermont ave., near Main. Rev. Wm. H. Tomlinson, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

MISS WILLIMINA L. ARMSTRONG will speak on "Evangelia speaks at Bethlehem" and "Virgins and Dueommuns, Saturday."

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